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Hon. Mr. T.N. Chau, who was invested with the C.B.E. at Government House yesterday.

## Public Sale Of Flowers On June 5

In the past 29 years of its history, The Hong Kong Confucian Society has maintained 30 schools to give free education to several thousands of poor Chinese children in Hong Kong. Recently, on account of financial stringency, the number of the schools has been reduced to 17 and the number of students to approximately 2,000.

Even so the Society has to bear a yearly expense in the schools' upkeep of about \$30,000 which has to be raised by public subscriptions because the society possesses neither properties nor endowment funds.

Lately, on account of the general depression, such subscriptions dwindled and consequently, the Committee of the Society has experienced much hardship in getting over its present difficulties.

The Committee of the Society has been compelled, on behalf of the 2,000 poor Chinese children, to appeal to the generosity of the Hong Kong public by a sale of flowers on June 5, the coming Saturday, and it is hoped that all races and nationalities will donate liberally to such a worthy cause.

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## CHINESE GUERILLAS FAST APPROACHING SHANGHAI

### REPUBLICAN PLANES ENGAGE INSURGENTS

Paris, June 1. Large-scale air battles occurred in Spain yesterday, according to dispatches to Paris newspapers. The Republicans shot down 15 Nationalist planes in an engagement on the Levant front. That a Republican victory was scored is admitted in a message from Burgos, Nationalist government stronghold, but the message adds that only 14 planes were lost. A report from Barcelona states that Republican planes successfully raided the Nationalist air bases at Genia and Inca, on Palma de Mallorca, and destroyed three Nationalist ships in the harbour—(Transocean).

### Penetrate As Far As Siccawei

#### Fighting On Lunghai Front Favours Defenders: Doihara Division In Bad Plight

Hankow, June 1. Sporadic rifle and machine-gun fire from the western outskirts of Shanghai was again clearly audible in the International Settlement and the French Concession yesterday morning, a report from Shanghai states.

Inquiries revealed that Chinese guerillas operating around Sungkiang and Chingpu have advanced as far as Felsinching, Siccawei, Taoching and Lunghwa to the immediate west of Shanghai, the report says. The vanguards have reached Fawachen and are said to be engaging the Japanese.—(Central News).

## TENANTS OBTAIN RELIEF AGAINST EVICTIONS

### Legislative Council Passes Important Measure

A BILL TO PREVENT UNREASONABLE EVICTION of tenants, and to make provision as to the rent and recovery of possession of premises in certain cases, and for purposes in connection therewith, was passed at a meeting of the Legislative Council yesterday afternoon, over which His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, presided.

The Bill was introduced by the Acting Attorney General (Hon. Mr. J. A. Fraser) and the reading was seconded by the Colonial Secretary (Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith).

ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT PROVISIONS is to stay immediately all proceedings for eviction against tenants paying less than \$20 rent per month. The measure, approved by the Legislative Council yesterday, is limited to a duration of twelve months.

The objects and reasons appended to the Ordinance stated:

The influx of refugees from Canton as a result of recent air raids there has, despite administrative measures to cope with and restrict it, so increased a population already swollen by immigrants seeking safety from disturbance in China that the housing accommodation of the Colony is no longer sufficient to contain the numbers of those who desire to occupy it and are in many cases willing to pay exorbitant prices for doing so.

#### TO PREVENT HARDSHIP

The object of this Bill, which is based on sections 12 and 15 of the Rent, etc., Restrictions Act, 1923 (13 and 14 Geo. 5), reproduced in clauses 3 and 4 of the Bill, is, by restricting the landlord's right to possession in certain cases, to prevent hardship to tenants now in occupation.

The housing problem and prevalent charges for rent were the subject of inquiry by a Commission appointed on 8th March, 1938, and since the report of that Commission a careful watch has been kept upon the situation. It is now considered necessary to deal with that situation by the means contained in this Bill.

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## Soviet May Aid China

### DR. SUN FO'S TALKS IN MOSCOW

Shan, June 1. Concrete Soviet assistance to China was discussed in Moscow recently between Dr. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, and M. I. Kalinin, Chairman of the Central Executive Committee of the U.S.S.R., according to a reliable overland report.

Dr. Sun also met other high Soviet leaders and representatives of Outer Mongolia before his departure from Moscow yesterday for Paris.

M. Tatrov has been appointed director of the Far Eastern division of the Commissariat of Foreign Affairs in place of M. Benedict Kozlovsk.

The new director has a thorough understanding of the Far Eastern situation, as he has served as Political Commissar of the Far Eastern Army, of which Marshal Vasily Blucher is the Commander-in-Chief.—(International).

#### WATCHING GUERILLAS

Shanghai, June 1. To keep the Chinese guerillas under close watch, observation posts have been erected by the Japanese at Chensu and Qingshan, on the Shanghai-Nanking Railway, about 20 miles northwest of Shanghai.—(International).

#### FIGHTING NEAR KASHING

Kinkwa, June 1. Brisk exchange of fire is proceeding at Shihpailiao, 10 kilometres east of Kashing, about 60

miles, from Shanghai, on the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway. Shihpailiao is the gateway to Kashing.

Two Japanese motor-boats loaded with arms and ammunition were sunk by Chinese guerillas in a creek near Yinchwang, midway between Kashing and Pinghu, on May 28. A Japanese soldier was captured alive. The Chinese are now salvaging the arms and ammunition in the creek.—(Central News).

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## JAPANESE SAY PLANES DO NOT BOMB CIVILIANS

### Charge Canton Not Defenceless

Tokyo, June 1. Referring to the air raids on Canton by Japanese naval planes, a spokesman of the Foreign Office said today: "The Chinese authorities again are making an emotional appeal to the European and American public on the grounds that Canton is defenceless and that the Japanese Air Force is attacking civilians."

The Chinese authorities have been attempting, said the spokesman, to prevent damage to their military establishments by removing them to other parts of Canton city, notably in the neighbourhood of properties belonging to third Powers.

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#### THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON NEW YORK: 34-9/16.

T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2.27/32d.

#### London Silver Market

(Our Own Correspondent). London, June 1.

London silver prices today were up 1/16 for Forward and unchanged for Spot.

May 31. June 1.  
Spot.....18-15/16 18-15/16  
Forward.....18-9/16 18-5/8

## BOIS ROUSSEL BRINGS OFF SURPRISE WIN

### Derby Classic Ends Again In Big Upset

London, June 1. The 155th Derby, run on the famous Epsom Downs today, resulted as follows:—  
Hon. P. E. L. Beatty's BOIS ROUSSEL (Elliott) ..... 1  
Mr. James V. Rank's SCOTTISH UNION (Carslake) ..... 2  
Mr. H. E. Morris's PASCH (Gordon Richards) ..... 3  
Won by 4 lengths; 2 lengths between second and third.  
Time: 2 mins. 39-1/5 sec.

The betting was Bois Roussel (20-1); Scottish Union (8-1); Pasch (9-4).

The race was one of the best seen for many a long day, the result being in doubt till the very last minute. Scottish Union looked every inch the winner but the French horse finished with a tremendous burst and clinched the issue.

The usual Derby Day crowd was present to watch the race. Their Majesties the King and Queen arriving with the Duke and Duchess of Kent a few minutes before the start of the race.

#### MIRZA II RESTIVE

There was some little trouble at the start, Mirza II, with Harry Wragg up, being the chief offender, but the field of 22 was eventually sent away to a good start, Pasch (Gordon Richards), the hot favourite running away to steal a useful lead.

Licence (Crouch), the King's horse, ran promisingly and led the field up the hill. Just as they reached the top the rain, which had held off all day, began to come down.

Pasch had by this time dropped to fourth position but it soon moved up to third place again.

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## SHOT FIRED IN PRAGUE

### Czech Officer And Sudeten Germans In Dispute

Berlin, June 1. In the course of a dispute at an inn in Prague today two Sudeten Germans were shot and wounded by a Czech military officer, according to a German report which adds that the N.C.O. was immediately arrested by Sudeten police.

A message from Prague states that the incident arose through a dispute between the N.C.O. and 35 Sudetens. The officer fired his revolver at the ground. An inquiry into the affray is being held.—(Reuter).

## FOREIGN OFFICE APPOINTMENT

London, June 1. Lord Herbert Montagu-Douglas-Scott, who has been attached to the Foreign Office since 1911 has been appointed Under-secretary of State from Foreign Affairs.

He is the son of the late Admiral Montagu-Douglas-Scott and cousin of the Duchess of Gloucester.—(Transocean).

DISCUSSED CHINA



Kalinin, chairman of the Central Executive Committee of the U.S.S.R., who discussed the possibility of giving aid to China with Dr. Sun Fo.

## Dollar Tender Pirated On Lower Yangtse

### MONEY, VALUABLES TAKEN; TURKISH WATCHMAN SHOT

Shanghai, June 1. The Dollar Line tender, Dollar, was pirated yesterday evening while on a voyage from the Lower Yangtse to Shanghai with a number of Chinese passengers aboard and a cargo of rice.

The pirates, who travelled as passengers, suddenly disclosed themselves and rounded up the crew with pistols and forced the captain to steer to Blockhouse Island where they dumped with their booty in waiting junks.

#### VALUABLES TAKEN

The booty consisted of all the cash and valuables carried by the passengers, who were herded together on the deck and searched, and 1,200 bags of rice, which the tender and two lighters, which it was towing, were carrying.

The total value of the haul is estimated at \$12,000.

The only casualty was a Turkish watchman who was the solitary non-Chinese on board. He was shot in the left arm and right leg when he tried to resist the pirates, who also fired several shots in the air to intimidate the passengers.—(Reuter).

## Fear Florida Kidnappers May Be Lynched By Crowds

Princeton (Florida), June 1. Although the ransom money has been paid for nearly 24 hours, the kidnappers have not yet returned the son of Mr. James Cash, wealthy oil dealer.

Distracted, the father has asked the posse of hundreds which was setting out to search the countryside to disperse.

It is believed that the searchers would lynch the kidnappers if they

found them, so the Governor of Florida has ordered the National Guards to stand by.

The father denied the kidnappers by informing G-men, who noted the numbers of the ransom notes.—(Reuter).

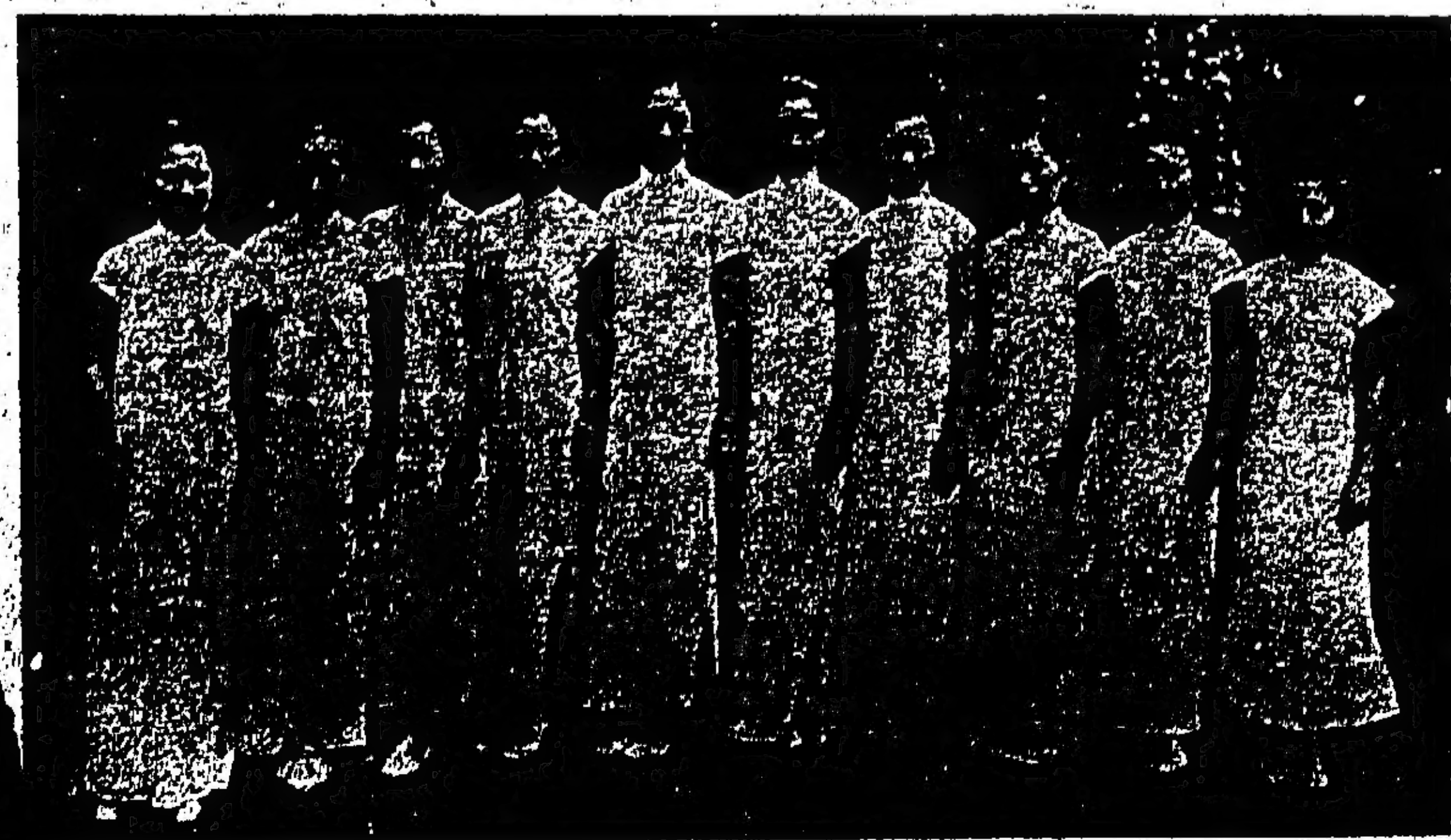
## TRANSITION!

VALUABLE patriotic work is being carried out by Chinese girls, who have rallied to their country's banner in her hour of need.

In addition to their school studies, Chinese girls now take part in national salvation work, which includes military training, nursing, preaching and care of wounded soldiers.

Their efforts to raise funds for the help of war refugees and wounded soldiers have proved most successful.

The pictures here show a group of girls in normal attire (left) and the same girls dressed in uniform, on parade. (Photos by China News Photo Service).





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## INTERESTING ARGUMENT IN COURT CLAIM

Express Notice In Writing Of Assignment

Interesting legal arguments regarding inadmissibility as evidence of certain unstamped documents, the necessity of "express notice in writing" and of the rights of set-off of a debtor, were advanced by Mr. P. Y. Woo, of Messrs. Woo and Woo, before Mr. Justice E. H. Williams in the Summary Court yesterday, in the case in which Eastman Kodak Company, represented by Mr. P. H. Sin, claimed \$245.04 from the Hing Yip Amusement Co. Ltd.

Plaintiffs claimed that this sum was money payable by defendants for the hire of a talking-picture known as "Sun Mo" to the plaintiffs as transferees of the rights of distribution for public performance of, and of incomes produced by, the said picture. The defendants had, they alleged, notice of the transfer of the rights of incomes of the picture made in favour of plaintiffs by the Sze Ming Trading Co.

Mr. Sin said the plaintiff company were film manufacturers, incorporated in the United States, and the defendants were a limited liability company incorporated under the ordinances of Hong Kong, and operated a theatre known as the Hong Kong Grand Theatre.

The facts were that the Sze Ming Company, the owner of which was Mr. Li Ping-yu, was indebted to the Kodak Company in sums of \$2,000-odd and \$300-odd, and, being unable to pay these, Mr. Li assigned, or transferred, to the Kodak Company his rights of distribution of five pictures. Previous to this transfer the picture "Sun Mo" had been rented to defendants by the transferor.

### INCOMES DEE

By a letter dated March 23 plaintiffs, through their releasing agent, the Wai Wah Company, requested defendants to pay incomes due in respect of the Sun Mo picture to the Kodak Co. In other words, that the incomes from that picture were to be paid to the transferor instead of the transferees. In a letter written by Mr. Woo on March 31 for defendants, the latter claimed set-off in the sum of \$230.

Defendants claimed in that letter, Mr. Sin went on, that they paid \$250 to the transferor in respect of a deposit for the picture "Yee Suk Kung Chee Pei Man," and, as much as that contract was not fulfilled, they were entitled to that sum.

"I would like Your Lordship to note," Mr. Sin continued, "that there were two contracts, one between the transferors and defendants and the other between the transferors and plaintiffs. The sum they now seek to set off is in respect of the other contract."

### EVIDENCE CALLED

Mr. William Wu, in charge of the sales of Eastman Kodak, was called. When a letter (one of a number in correspondence produced in Court) was handed to him, Mr. Woo objected to it being put in, submitting that under the Stamp Ordinance it was not admissible till stamped. Under the laws of Hong Kong, he said, where stamping was compulsory, a document could not be admitted in any circumstance, although penalty was offered.

After Mr. Sin had referred His Lordship to Section 9 of the Law Amendment Ordinance, in support of his contention that the document could be put in, His Lordship said he preferred to adjourn the case to give Mr. Sin an opportunity of stamping the document.

Mr. Woo: I will waive my objection in that case, if Mr. Sin will undertake to stamp it.

Mr. Sin: Certainly.

Mr. William Wu then said the letter had been given his firm by Mr. Li Ping-yu, the owner of the Sze Ming Trading Company.

### MR. WOO'S SUBMISSION

Mr. Woo then submitted he had no case to answer. Plaintiffs had to prove two things: (1) that there was an absolute assignment in writing; (2) that express notice in writing of that assignment in writing had been given to the debtor. On the question of notice Mr. Woo referred His Lordship to a local case in 1923. The notice given by plaintiffs in this case, he submitted, was bad, and did not constitute statutory notice within Section 9.

After Mr. Sin had replied, His Lordship said he ruled against Mr. Woo in his submission that notice

## AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS PREPARATION IN COLONY

Circular Letter Is Sent To Important Business Firms

### STAFF MEMBERS FOR TRAINING

Latest step in the educating of the citizens of Hong Kong in air raid precautions work was taken yesterday when a circular letter, signed by the Air Raid Precautions Officer, Wing-Commander A. H. S. Steele-Perkins, was forwarded to the most important business firms.

In the letter, which is published below, Wing-Commander Steele-Perkins states that it is utterly hoped that it will never be necessary in this Colony to put an air raid precautions scheme into operation, "but at the same time it must be realized that so long as the possibility of air attack exists, it is necessary to create organizations to minimize the consequences of attack."

It is suggested, in the letter, that a few selected members of the staff of each business firm should be selected by the manager for training in certain A.R.P. subjects.

[To the Editor, "The Hong Kong Daily Press"]

Dear Sir—I beg to enclose a circular letter which has been forwarded to the most important business firms in the Colony, and would be grateful if you would be kind enough to reproduce it in your newspaper.

It is evident that in spite of the severity of modern air attack, a great deal can be done by careful preparation, organization and co-operation, to mitigate considerably the effects of bombing from the air and to limit the amount of interruption caused thereby.

An A.R.P. factory scheme must decentralise responsibility and ensure that every employee knows exactly what is expected of him or her in an emergency.

### IMPORTANT FACTOR

Such a scheme which has been well practised will be a most important factor in maintaining the morale of all employees, and above all confidence in the soundness of the factory scheme and knowledge that all reasonable precautions for their safety and treatment have been provided in the scheme will raise morale.

It is with confidence that I look to the business firms of this Colony to co-operate with this department and to prepare their A.R.P. schemes which must be based on good organization. With good leadership on their part in an emergency, confidence will be inspired, morale created and the tendency to panic will be greatly lessened.—Yours faithfully,

A. H. S. STEELE-PERKINS  
Air Raid Precautions Officer.

## WIRELESS SET WITHOUT LICENCE

Dr. C. F. Lo, residing at 557 Nathan Road, appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court yesterday on a summons for the possession of a wireless set without a licence.

The hearing was adjourned for one week. A summons against Miss Leung Tim-tim, residing at No. 213, Fa Yuen Street, top floor, for the possession of a radio set without licence, was adjourned for one week.

A fine of \$30 was imposed on Lee Kit, principal tenant of No. 46, Fook Wah Street, for a similar offence.

must state that the assignment had been in writing but the point of which he was in doubt was whether the notice had in fact been given to the proper person, that is, the debtor, his agent, or trustee.

### USUAL TO PAY DEPOSIT

Mr. Woo then called Mr. Wong Tai-cho, who said, he was the managing director of defendant company. He claimed against the Sze Ming Company, with whom he had had dealings, for set-off.

One of the pictures he had hired from the Sze Ming was the "Sun Mo" film, in February 1937, and in May 1937, they hired the "Yee Suk Kung Chee Pei Man" picture.

It was usual for him to pay a deposit to the company in respect of films hired and for the last named picture he paid \$250. The Sze Ming Company did not hand over to him the film within the prescribed period of three months, nor did they return the deposit.

Mr. Woo then addressed the court on the right of debtor to a set-off, Section 9 of the Law Amendment Ordinance, specifically gave these rights, he said.

Mr. Sin said his reply would be a very long one, as he intended to carefully scrutinise various cases he was going to quote, and His

### Letter to Business Firms

Dear Sir—I beg to enclose copy of Air Raid Precautions Handbook No. 6 (Air Raid Precautions in Factories and Business Premises).

It is sincerely hoped that it will never be necessary in this Colony to put an Air Raid Precautions scheme into operation, but at the same time it must be realized that, so long as the possibility of air attack exists, it is necessary to create organizations to minimize the consequences of attack, and, as it would not be possible to improvise effective measures on the spur of the moment in time of emergency, preparations must be made in time of peace to meet an emergency which we all hope will never arise.

### CO-OPERATION SOUGHT

I am therefore writing to you to ask for your co-operation with this department with a view to the preparation of a scheme embracing as many as practicable of the various A.R.P. services which are mentioned in the Handbook, in order to provide the maximum protection to your employees and to your property.

I am to say that His Excellency the Governor will be most grateful if you would give the scheme outlined in the enclosed Handbook your earnest consideration with a view to the preparation of an organization which would make your firm a self-contained unit in so far as it concerns Air Raid Precautions.

It is suggested that a few selected members of your staff, in accordance with the scale laid down in the enclosed Handbook, should be selected by you for training in the following A.R.P. subjects:—

- (a) Elementary first aid.
- (b) Fire Precautions and methods of controlling incendiary bombs.
- (c) General protective measures against poison gas and splinters from high explosive bombs.
- (d) Decontamination of materials.

### LECTURE COURSES

Lectures and practical demonstrations on the above subjects will be given in the form of a series of courses; but until the services of a Chinese speaking instructor have been obtained it will only be possible, for the present, to conduct the above mentioned courses, with the exception of elementary first aid, in the English language.

It is further suggested that probably the best way of proceeding with the preparation of your A.R.P. scheme would be, in the first instance, to work out in detail a "paper" scheme on the lines laid down in Appendix 'A' in the enclosed Handbook, and when this has been completed you should be able to ascertain the number of persons who would require to be trained.

If you would be good enough to inform me when your draft scheme has been prepared I will, should you so desire, pay you a visit in order to discuss the necessary training arrangements which should be put in hand and to give any advice which you may desire.—Yours faithfully,

A. H. S. STEELE-PERKINS  
Air Raid Precautions Officer.

Lordship fixed Monday, June 13 for the continuation.

### LAW DIFFERENT

Mr. Sin said he would give an idea of what he was going to say. "It is quite true that upon a brief perusal of the law as laid down by text-book writers it seems somewhat comprehensive, so as to give the impression that debtor or defendant as against assignee has the same rights of set-off as he would have against assignor. But upon scrutinising the law with care, we find that the law is absolutely different. I shall argue that there are different kinds of set-offs. Some, as in the case under review, are restricted." The hearing was then adjourned.

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## TO VARY THE BREAKFAST MENU

This is a new way of serving bacon and tomatoes; the tomato mixture can be made the day before if preferred. For three people skin half a pound of tomatoes and cook in a little hot butter with a grated onion, a sliced cooked potato, pepper, salt, and a teaspoonful of chopped parsley. When done, add two or three beaten and seasoned eggs and stir for a minute or two until the eggs set. Have ready three rashers of crisply grilled bacon and put on the top of the egg and tomato just before serving.

### SCRAPS OF HAM

Lean left-over scraps of ham make a good breakfast dish. Half a pound of ham will serve three people. Put the ham twice through the mincer, and put into a saucepan with half a teaspoonful of slightly thickened stock or left-over gravy. Season with cayenne and mace, also a little salt if necessary, and make very hot without quite boiling. Then gradually stir in half a cupful thick cream and keep hot while some crustless slices of bread are being crisply fried in dripping. Divide the ham between the slices and serve at once. Instead of cream, white sauce or two eggs can be used.

Another delicious way of using up scraps of ham is as follows. The mixture can be prepared the day before and merely fried when required. Melt two ounces of butter add two ounces of flour, and cook for a few minutes. Stir in half a pint of milk and cook for three minutes, stirring well. Stir in four ounces of finely minced ham and a couple of grated hard-boiled eggs, some pepper, salt, mace, a pinch of cayenne, and a little chopped parsley or a pinch of herbs. Stir all together until almost boiling, then turn on to a

wet plate. When cold, make into small cakes with floured hands, dip in seasoned egg and breadcrumbs, and fry until golden brown. Drain well and serve very hot with grilled tomatoes.

### HERRING ROES

Herring roes with tomatoes make an appetizing and nourishing breakfast dish. Halve the tomatoes and put in a saucepan with the roes and a dessertspoonful of butter and a tablespoonful of milk to moisten. Simmer gently until cooked, then take out the roes and tomatoes and arrange on hot buttered toast. Have ready a tablespoonful of grated cheese per person, put this into the liquid, and let it melt without boiling. Divide this between the slices of toast and put under the grill to brown. Sprinkle with paprika or chopped parsley and serve.

Left-over mince and haddock or smoked fillet and left-over potatoes can be combined to make a tasty breakfast. Use equal quantities of potatoes and fish. Mash the potatoes with a little milk and some butter, pepper and salt, and make very hot. Stir in the finely flaked fish, one or two beaten eggs, a little piquant sauce, and some cayenne pepper and beat well. This can be prepared the day before. Then shape into balls with floured hands, dip in egg and breadcrumbs, or batter or seasoned flour, and fry until golden brown. Another method of using up left-over smoked fish is to flake it finely and spread on buttered toast. Slice some tomatoes after skinning them, and cover the fish with the slices. Season with pepper and salt. Put a tiny piece of butter on each piece of tomato, and put under the grill until the tomatoes are soft. If liked, blotter, kipper, or sardines, can be used in the same way.

## EGG DISHES

Fresh eggs form an excellent article of diet as an alternative to meat dishes, and combine with many other ingredients to make appetising meals.

This makes a good breakfast or luncheon dish: Have ready a slice of buttered toast for each person. Flake some left-over fish or freshly cooked fish, season with pepper and moisten with tomato sauce. Spread it on the toast. Lightly fry or poach an egg for each slice, put on the fish, and sprinkle with pepper and salt. Pour a spoonful of tomato sauce on each and cover with breadcrumbs tossed in melted butter. Put under the grill for two or three minutes. Poached, boiled, or fried eggs can also be used in many other ways to make interesting meals. For instance, a well-balanced luncheon is made with eggs and vegetables. Cook spinach in the usual way, chop up, season well and mix plentifully with butter or dripping. Put in a fire-proof dish, put the cooked eggs on top, and cover with white sauce or seasoned cream. Cover with buttered breadcrumbs and grated cheese and brown under the grill. Or a foundation of fried onions and tomatoes can be used instead of the green vegetables, or else potatoes creamed with milk and butter. If the oven is in use, the raw eggs can be broken over the top of the vegetable and set in the oven.

### WITH STARCHES

Eggs combine well with starches to make a balanced meal, providing fat and protein in which the starch foods are deficient. For spaghetti and eggs, use a small onion, one egg, an ounce of spaghetti and a tablespoonful of milk for each person. Cook the spaghetti in the usual way and drain thoroughly. While it is cooking, fry the roughly chopped onion in butter, stir in the spaghetti and season well with salt, pepper, and a pinch each of paprika and mace. Turn into a basin. Beat up the eggs with the milk, mix with the spaghetti, and put in a slow oven until just set. Or serve with savoury rice. Cook the rice in boiling water in the usual way, drain, mix with fried onion, salt, pepper, and a little butter if necessary. Add a little grated cheese and let this melt. Arrange on top as many steamed, shelled eggs as are wanted, and pour some tomato or other savoury sauce over the top.

This is another way of using steamed eggs. Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add half of a small grated onion, and stir for a minute or two. Sprinkle in a dessertspoonful of flour, mix well, and stir in half a breakfast-cupful of milk. When thick add enough milk or stock to make of the right consistency. Season with pepper and salt, and add a dessertspoonful of chopped parsley, a tiny pinch of mixed herbs, and the juice of half a small lemon. Simmer gently for about ten minutes, stirring well. Put the steamed eggs on a hot dish and pour the sauce over. Arrange round them a grilled sausage, tomato, and two or three mushrooms for each person.

## RHUBARB AND BANANA CHARLOTTE

Cut three or four slices of thick bread into cubes, removing the crust. Fry in a little butter until golden brown, then turn on to tissue paper to drain. Cut up four to six sticks of rhubarb and slice two or three bananas. Put half the bread cubes at the bottom of a pie-dish, add the rhubarb and bananas, sprinkling them thickly with sugar. Pour on the juice of a small orange. Cover with the rest of the bread and sprinkle the

## Simple Desserts For Children's Meals

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### APPLE TAPIOCA

Apple tapioca can be fixed in a jiffy. Bring 3 cups of water to a boil in a saucepan. If a glass pan is used there will be but one solid dish. Add 1 cup minute tapioca 4 apples sliced thin. Pinch of salt and Nutmeg and Small amount of grated lemon rind. Simmer until apples are very tender and tapioca clear. Peaches may be used instead of apples. Serve cold with cream.

### PRUNE WHIP

Prune whip, light and fluffy, seems like eating air from fairyland. Stone and put through a sieve 1 cup cooked prunes that are very tender. Beat 4 egg whites until stiff. Beat in gradually 4 tablepoons sugar and Pinch of salt and the prunes. Place pudding in buttered baking dish set in pan of warm water. Bake at 275 degrees F. until brown and puffed up. Serve cool with whipped cream or custard sauce.

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2 tsp. butter or chicken fat  
3 green pepper, shredded  
3 cup mushrooms, chopped  
3 tsp. flour  
4 pintenlo, shredded  
1 cup chicken broth  
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Salt and pepper  
1 1/2 cup cold chicken  
Saute the green pepper and mushrooms in the butter until tender (about 10 minutes), keeping them covered while cooking. Remove the mushrooms and peppers and blend the flour and seasonings with the fat left in the pan; then add the broth and Carnation and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Place the chicken, cut in thin dice, pimenton, green pepper, and mushrooms in top part of double boiler. Pour over this the sauce and continue cooking over hot water for 10 minutes. Serve in patty shells or on toast points. Serves 6.

## DUTCH MEDICINE FOR CHINESE

A large quantity of medicine collected by the Chinese Refugee Relief Association in the Netherlands will be brought here by the s.s. Meerkerk on June 8 from the Hague.

The Netherlands Consul-General, Dr. F. A. van Woerden, here will distribute the medicine to the interior of China after its arrival, says Central News.

bread with sugar. Bake in a moderate oven for about an hour. If the top is not crisp and brown put under the grill for a minute or two, as the sugar on top should melt into caramel.

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## PRECAUTIONS AGAINST CHOLERA IN COLONY

### ADVICE ISSUED BY DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL SERVICES

The public is warned to take all adequate precautions against cholera, which is rampant in many neighbouring districts in China and seriously threaten the Colony.

Attention is therefore directed to the following advice issued by the Director of Medical Services.

Cholera is a disease which affects the bowels and develops very rapidly. Very minute particles of human discharges are sufficient to cause the disease. The greatest care must be taken, therefore, to avoid contamination of food and water with human discharges.

Contamination may be brought about in so many ways that it is important that food should be kept under cover and free from flies. Water and milk must be boiled before drinking and fresh uncooked vegetables must not be eaten.

It is not sufficient to consider only the actual food you eat. Kitchen utensils, tables, paste boards, chop sticks, cutlery, etc., must be kept scrupulously clean and dried with a clean cloth before use.

**DANGER FROM FLEES**  
Flies are a very great danger as they may fly from a drain, latrine or even a garden fertilised with night-soil and from there carry cholera germs to food before or after it has been cooked.

Cockroaches are also very dangerous as they spend the day on the crown of sewers and drains and at night wander over kitchen

tables and crockery. Consequently, it is advisable to wash basins and crockery immediately before use.

Great care should be taken to avoid the pollution of wells. The washing of clothing and bedding in the vicinity of a well must be strictly avoided.

Sufficient water may be left on a rice bowl or plate which has only been rinsed in water containing cholera germs to cause the sickness.

**DANGEROUS FOODS**  
The Chinese community are warned especially as to dangers of eating out or peeled fruit from hawkers' stalls, eating houses, etc. Ice-cream, any non-aerated fruit or herb drink, the jellies known as 'leung fan' and 'man tau io' and raw fish and mussels are all dangerous articles of food during a cholera epidemic.

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## NEWS ABOUT THE SERVICES

## ROYAL NAVY

## INCREASED KIT ALLOWANCES

Admiralty Fleet Orders issued on May 20 give details of increases in the rates of allowances to men of the Navy for the upkeep of their kit, to come into force on all stations on July 1. Until the War the sailor had to maintain his uniform at his own expense, but a kit upkeep allowance was granted in 1917 and has been in force ever since. It is credited to the accounts of the men quarterly.

The new rate for chief petty officers, and petty officers wearing the special uniform of the rating (class III dress with gilt buttons) is £6 18s. a year, compared with £6 14s. Men dressed in class II uniform, that is, as seamen, will receive £5 10s. a year compared with £5 8s. Men in class III uniform (jacket and peaked cap) will receive £6 12s., compared with £6 8s. 4d. Ratings in submarines will receive an additional 15s. 4d. in the seaman, signal, and telegraphist branches and 12s. 4d. in other branches. A number of other allowances in respect of clothing are also increased, and revised issuing prices of clothing, soap, and tobacco are also to be brought into force on July 1.

## HIS MAJESTY'S YACHT

His Majesty's yacht Victoria and Albert, flying the flag of Vice-Admiral Sir Dudley North, left Port-

smouth on May 20 for Torbay on a six-day cruise. This is the usual cruise after the annual refit. After returning to Portsmouth, the yacht will await the King's orders.

## SPECIALIST COURSE IN SIGNALS

The following officers have been selected for the long specialist course in signals which will begin on December 5:—  
Lieutenants R. L. W. Moss, R. F. Colville, D. E. Bromley-Martin, M. Buist, C. M. W. Thomas, P. G. Sedgwick, and I. M. Balfour.

## TRAINING CRUISE

The flotilla leader Broke, Commander R. Heathcote, attached to the R.N. Engineering College, Devonport, left recently for a cruise for instructional purposes. She visited St. Ives, May 23-24; Milford Haven, May 24-25; and Pembroke Dock, May 25-28; and returned to Plymouth on May 30.

## NEW ALLOWANCE

An Order in Council sanctions the payment of an allowance of 1s. a day to gunners, commissioned gunners (T), and commissioned gunners (T) performing the dual duties of gunners and gunners (torpedo) in destroyers of running flotillas, while so employed. The allowance has retrospective effect from April 1, 1938.

## NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—

Surgn. Rear-Admirals—S. F. Dudley, O.B.E., M.B., B.S., F.R.C.P., D.P.H., D.T.M., to Pembroke for R.N. Hosp., Chatham; C. V. Griffiths, D.S.O., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to President, as Deputy Medical Director General, Admiralty (April 7).

Cdr.—P. W. Wootton, to President for duty inside Admiralty (June 8).  
Lt.-Cdr.—D. M. Branson, D.S.O., to St. Angelo (July 18).

Surgn. Lt.-Cdr.—H. G. Wells, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to Victory for R.N.B. (May 22).  
Lts. (F.O. R.A.F.)—T. C. G. Holford, to Barham; E. G. Savage, to Kent (May 24).

Lts.—S. L. C. Maydon, to Dolphin (May 20); C. T. Davies, to Seawolf (June 3); G. V. Prowse, to Douglas (June 4); A. R. E. Evans, to Aberdeen; A. C. Akerman, to Iron Duke for crse. (June 13); P. C. O. Moseley, to Grenville (June 14).

Payr. Lts.—G. I. Palmer, to Pembroke for Gunnery School (June 10); J. H. Osborne, to Argus (June 14); R. V. Brockman, to President for duty inside Admiralty (July 27).

Wt. Engr.—E. W. Sexton, to Argus (May 28).

## PROMOTIONS

Cd. S.O.—H. J. Barnard, to rank of Payr. Lt. (seny. May 13).

W.S.O.—G. J. Deacon, to rank of Cd. S.O. (seny. May 13).

## FLEET AIR ARM

The following have been transferred to the Royal Navy as Lieuts. (A), seny. as stated:—

H. L. Fry (Jan. 8) and apptd. to Victory for crse. at School of Naval Co-operation (May 30); J. W. Bateman (March 3), and apptd. to Victory for crse. at School of Naval Co-operation (May 30); M. Whittingham, M. P. Price, W. C. Pitts, and R. J. T. Barrett (May 30), and apptd. to Victory for crse. at Naval School of Co-operation; T. Gadd, J. R. Robins, U. S. Mackay, R. H. C. Taylor (May 30), and apptd. to Furious.

R. McD. Hall, R. G. How transferred to Royal Navy as Act. Sub-Lts. (A) (seny. June 6), and apptd. to Victory for crse.

## ROYAL AIR FORCE

## C.Os. FOR BALLOON SQUADRONS

Appointments have now been made to the first six squadrons of the new balloon barrage for London, the formation of which units was announced on May 11. The commanding officers have been granted commissions as squadron leader in the Auxiliary Air Force, dating from May 16.

Major J. S. Wheelwright, D.S.O., who will command No. 901 (County of London) Squadron, is a balloon designer and a qualified airship and balloon pilot. He served in

## MRS. DIONNE HAS 13TH CHILD

Mrs. Dionne, mother of the famous quintuplets, recently gave birth to a son. He is the 13th child and the fifth son.

The child was born in the farmhouse at Callander, Ontario, where the quintuplets were born, and is Mrs. Dionne's second child since that event. He weighed 7½ lb. Mother and child are both well.

the R.N.A.S. and R.A.F. in the War, and gained the D.S.O. in 1917 as a flight commander for services on patrol duties and submarine searching in home waters.

Four of the other C.Os. served in the Army during the War.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. J. O'Hea, who is to command No. 902 (County of London) Squadron, entered the Life Guards in 1909, and became captain in 1918. He is an aeroplane and glider pilot.

Major G. M. Haslam, who is to command No. 903 (County of London) Squadron, served in the Artillery during the War.

Major E. J. Davis, who is to command No. 904 (County of Surrey) Squadron, also served in the Artillery throughout the War.

Captain Geoffrey Aste, who is to command No. 907 (County of Middlesex) Squadron, was commissioned in the Army Service Corps

## China's Grand Old Admiral Declines Banquets

The Chinese Government's fund for the relief of war refugees has been increased by \$10,000 because Admiral Sah Cheng-ping, patriarch of the Chinese Navy, declined all feasts and parties planned in his honour by his friends in Hong Kong and Canton during his recent visit to these two places.

Whenever he received an invitation, he wrote back to the host, voicing his wishes that the money earmarked for the function be donated to the Government.

Admiral Sah hails from Foo-chow, Fukien, where he was born in 1858. He received his early training at Greenwich Naval College in England. Later he served aboard a British man-of-war. That was fully half a century ago, when Queen Victoria was still on the British throne.

The 80-year-old Admiral has had a long and brilliant career. From a captain of a training ship, he steadily rose. He was in command of a cruiser during China's disastrous war against Japan in 1894-1895. In 1909 he was made Admiral of the Chinese Imperial Fleet. On two occasions he headed a Chinese official mission to Europe and America, and in 1919-1920 he was China's Minister of the Navy and concurrently Prime Minister.

After the outbreak of the present hostilities, Admiral Sah went to the South Sea Islands, where Chinese emigrants are found in large numbers, to propagate the message of armed resistance. He succeeded in collecting a large contribution for the relief of war-stricken refugees. He is now in Chungking, China's wartime capital in Szechuan, for a well-earned rest after his strenuous journey.

Although an octogenarian, Admiral Sah is as enthusiastic and optimistic as a young man of 20, believing that within his life's time China will resume its past strength, will become truly independent and will come to play an important role in the Far East.

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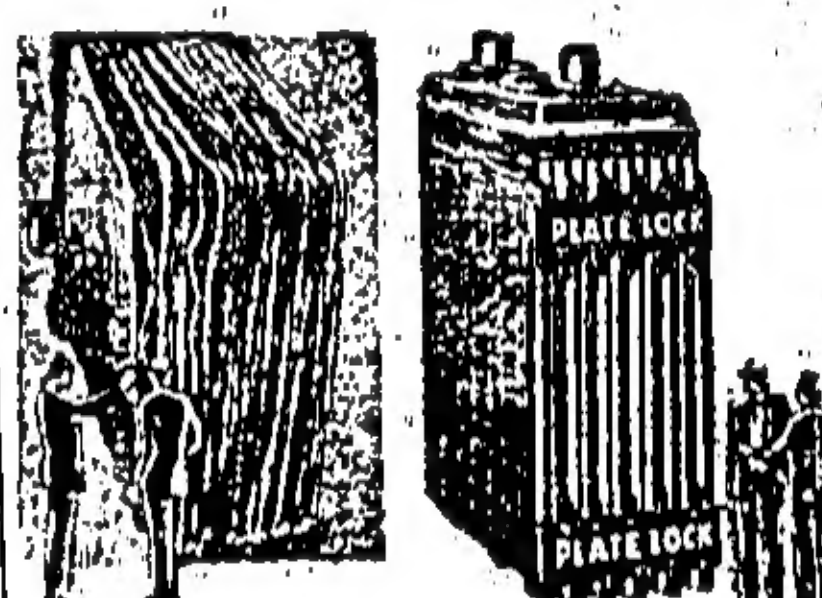
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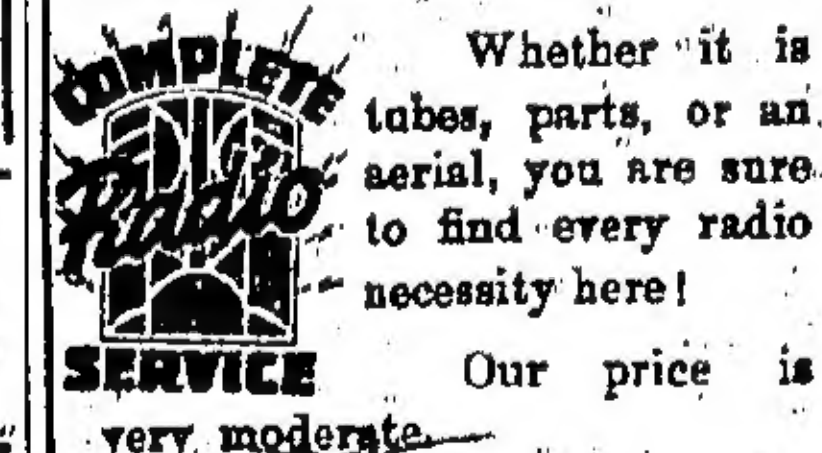


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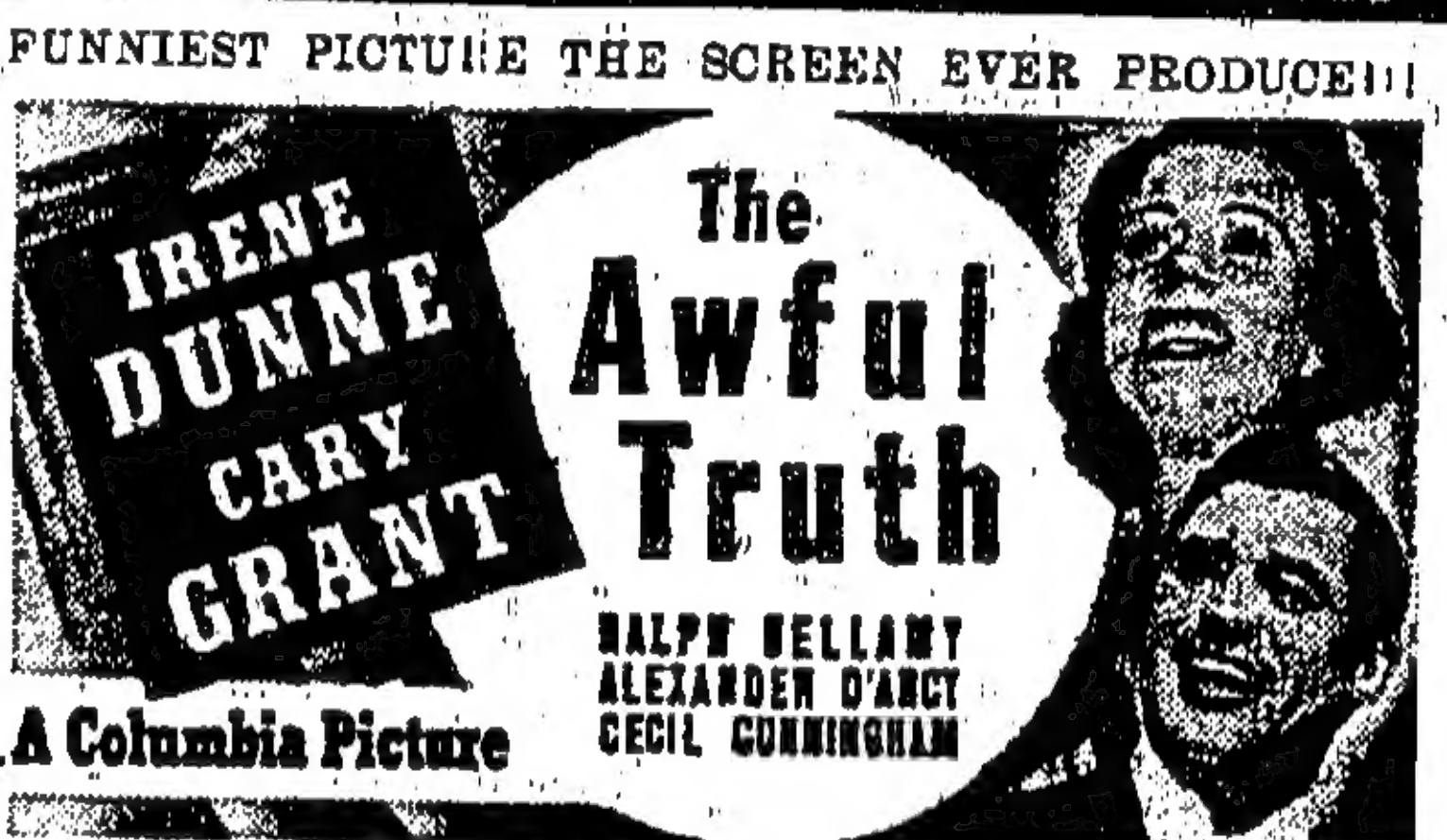
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The disease is called constrictive pericarditis and is caused by an obstruction in one of the veins returning blood to the heart.

Plans are now proceeding for a difficult operation to strip the casing from the heart.

Watkins' father said the best they could hope for was a 1000 to one chance, but his son was willing to take it.

Australian physicians who diagnosed the case admitted the possibility of surgical cure, but expressed their unwillingness to take the chance.

The father has received a cable-gram, stating that a similar ail-

## SIR H. MONTGOMERY TO RETIRE

Minister At The Hague

Sir Hubert Montgomery, who has been British Minister to the Netherlands since August, 1933, stated recently that he will retire from the diplomatic service in a few months time. He is 62.

Sir Hubert, who is a brother of Sir Archibald Montgomery-Massingberd, formerly Chief of the Imperial General Staff, entered the Foreign Office in 1900. He was made K.C.M.G. in 1927 and K.C.V.O. in 1930.

Sir Hubert and Lady Montgomery intend to live in England.

## TODAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

**KING'S:** "Charlie Chan On Broadway"  
**QUEEN'S:** "Good-Bye Broadway"  
**ORIENTAL:** "Madame X"

Kowloon

**ALHAMBRA:** "50 Roads To Town"  
**STAR:** "Bulldog Drummond Comes Back"  
**MAJESTIC:** "Borneo"

Coming

**KING'S:** "Nothing Sacred"  
**QUEEN'S:** "Her Jungle Love"  
**ORIENTAL:** "The Awful Truth"  
**ALHAMBRA:** "Her Jungle Love"  
**STAR:** "The Go-Getter"  
**MAJESTIC:** "Charlie Chan in Monte Carlo"

## FIFTY ROADS TO TOWN

The old situation of water, water everywhere, and not a drop to drink, was brought home forcibly to Don Ameche and Ann Sothern, stars of the Twentieth Century-Fox production, "Fifty Roads to Town," now at the Alhambra Theatre, when they faced near-starvation in the film although it was literally snowing cornflakes.

In the picture, a romantic comedy of mistaken identities, young man and woman who do not know each other find themselves marooned in a mountain cabin where their only source of subsistence is a supply of caviar, crackers and hearts of artichoke.

In the course of several weeks' filming, Ameche and Miss Sothern consumed fourteen large jars of caviar and twelve bottles of hearts of artichoke, a diet attributable to director Norman Taurog's craving for realism and his insistence that they could not do the scene properly if they merely nibbled.

Slim Summerville, Jane Darwell, John Qualen, Douglas Fowley, Alan Lane, Alan Dinehart and Stepin Fetchit are featured in the film, for which Raymond Griffith was associate producer. The picture was based on the novel by Louis Frederick Nebel.

## ORIGIN OF THE DRAGON BOAT FESTIVAL

Most Colourful Feast Day Of The Chinese People

### THIS AFTERNOON'S RACES

The Dragon Boat Festival, one of the most interesting of the Chinese Festivals, which falls on the fifth day of the fifth moon (Lunar Calendar), will be again celebrated enthusiastically in traditional style.

In Hong Kong today, the Chinese community will celebrate the time-honoured occasion by having boat races and other festivities. Old customs die hard, and despite various decrees of the Nanking Government and other efforts to stamp out what the reformers in China term old superstition, the Dragon Boat Festival remains among China's most colourful feast days.

Despite the diminution of interest in recent years by the Chinese sports clubs in organizing boat races, contests have been arranged by the Chung Sing Benevolent Society's Bathing Club and the Chinese Civil Servants Bathing Club in Kennedy Town and North Point, respectively, for this afternoon.

Apart from the big prizes, which are offered for the winners of these races, great interest is taken in them on account of the "Side bets." A crew from Shaikwan would meet one from Wanchai or Aberdeen as the case may be and much money passes hand as the result.

So far as the Dragon Boat Festival celebration is concerned, it has attached to its observance few superstitious practices. The festival goes more to the root of the country's history, being based on a political theme of the actual occurrence.

### ORIGIN OF THE FESTIVAL

According to Chinese history, it is recorded that during the Reign of King Wai of the Chou State in the Chou Dynasty, 85 A.D., King Wai had a minister named Wat Yuen, who was the ablest and most loyal amongst all his ministers.

Owing to his great ability, he was much favoured and trusted by the King, who afterwards promoted him to high rank, which caused the resentment and animosity of the other selfish and deceitful ministers, who secretly schemed and planned to undermine his influence and bring about his downfall.

In time, King Wai so ill-advised and misled by the false reports of the selfish and deceitful ministers, that he began to lose confidence in his favourite minister Wat

Yuen, whose influence with the King began gradually to decline.

**KING WAI WARNED**  
After some time, some traitorous ministers of the Chou State conspired with certain ambitious and scheming officials of the Tsun State to conquer and absorb the Chou State, but their treacherous plans were easily seen through by the Minister, Wat Yuen, who

thrice warned King Wai not to declare war against the Tsun State, owing to the weakness and unpreparedness of the armies of the Chou State.

But King Wai, who always planned to take revenge against the King of the Tsun State, refused to listen to Wat Yuen's advice, and was determined to declare war against his enemy.

On seeing that King Wai was so stubborn, Minister Wat Yuen believed that it was useless to further remonstrate with his King. He thereupon, resigned his office and being disheartened and disappointed, he clasped a big piece of stone to his bosom, and jumped into the Pok River near Changshafu of Hunan Province on the fifth day of the fifth moon, and drowned himself.

After the death of the patriotic and loyal Minister, Wat Yuen, King Wai declared war against his enemy the King of the Tsun State, and was badly defeated. Over 80,000 soldiers of the Chou State were slain, and a large piece of territory at Hanyang was occupied by the victorious troops of the Tsun State.

When the war was over, and in memory of Wat Yuen, the people of the Chou State assembled every year in boats on the fifth day of the fifth moon at the Pok River, and cast into the waters fruits and rice cakes, being tendered to the demons of the river, so that they might spare the honest and devoted Minister, Wat Yuen.

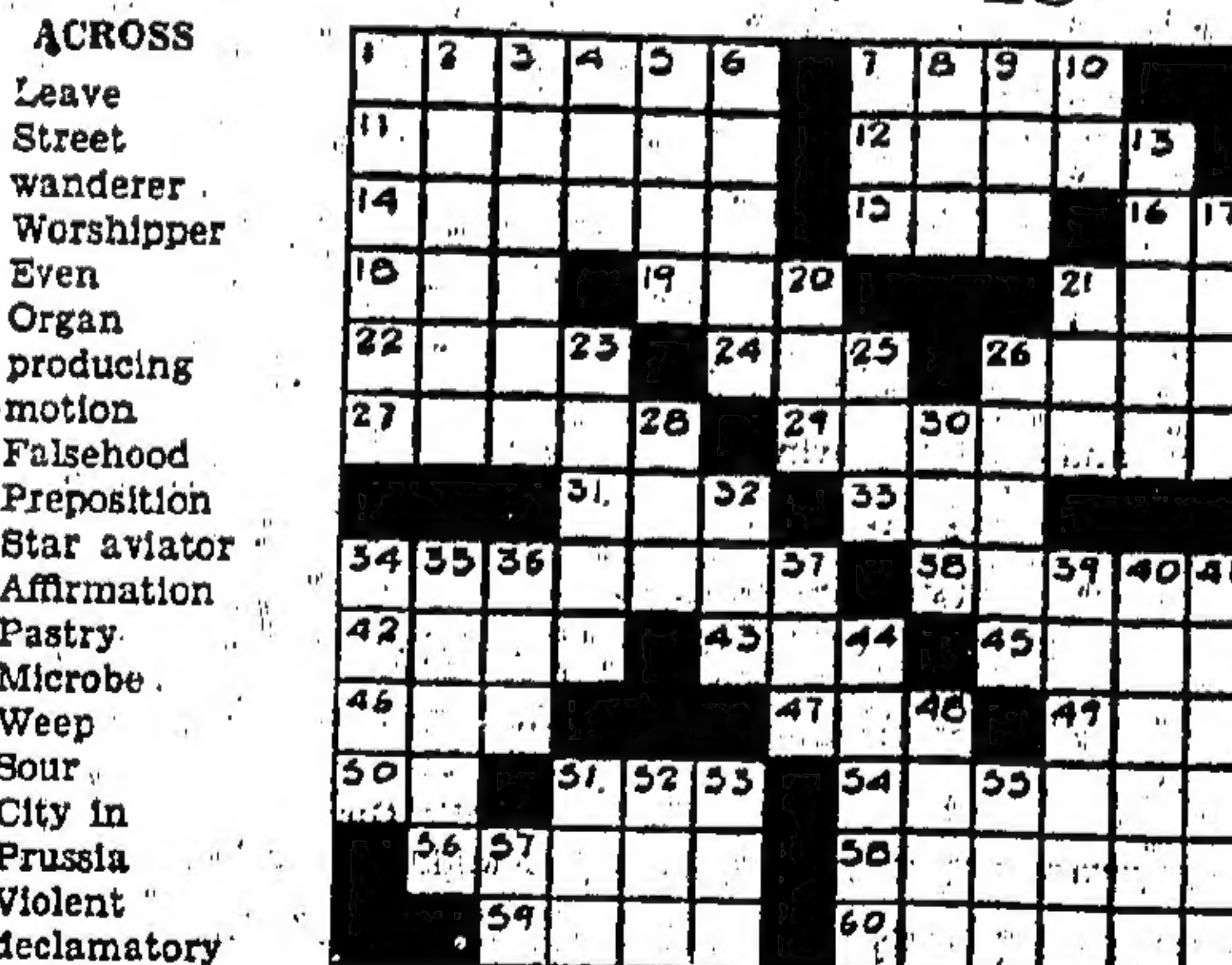
Thus was the festival of the fifth day of the fifth moon handed down to the future generations of China.

### DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

**TODAY**

Anniversaries and Holidays—Dragon Boat Festival (T'ien-chung-chieh). Sir Edward Elgar born, 1857.  
Cinemas.—(See Column 3 of this Page)  
Lectures.—Theosophical Society, 6 p.m.  
Mails.—(See Page 14)  
Meetings.—Victoria Chess Club, at Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m.; Annual of the Society of Yorkshiremen in Hong Kong, in the Jacobean Room of the Hong Kong Hotel, 8 p.m. (Tea, 5.30 p.m.)  
Miscellaneous.—Claims against the Estate of Young Dai-ling, (Dai Ung Young), due; St. John's Cathedral Working Party, Cathedral Hall.  
Moon.—V. Moon, 5th Day.  
Social.—Cheero Club Bridge and Mahjong Drive, 8 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club "Open" Night, 9 p.m.  
Sports.—(See Page 10)  
Sunrise.—5.29 a.m. Sunset.—7.04 p.m.  
Tides.—High at 9.50 and 11.25, Low at 04.42 and 18.56.  
**TOMORROW**  
Moon.—V. Moon, 6th Day.  
Sunrise.—5.34 a.m. Sunset.—7.03 p.m.  
Tides.—High at 10.35. Low at 04.00 and 18.01.

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7 Street  
11 Wanderer  
12 Whipper  
14 Organ  
15 Falsehood  
16 Preposition  
18 Star aviator  
19 Affirmation  
21 Pastry  
22 Microbe  
24 Weep  
26 Sour  
27 City in Prussia  
29 Violent declamatory outpourings  
31 A thing (law)  
33 Title of respect  
34 Bone of the ear  
38 South American mountain range  
42 Century plant  
43 Fairy queen  
45 Sediment  
46 Mere taste  
49 Gibbon  
50 Pronoun  
51 River in Switzerland  
54 Tell  
56 Water raising apparatus  
58 Causes mental irritation  
59 Mend  
60 Conduits

**DOWN**  
1 Injury  
2 Draws out  
3 Those who assume an attitude  
4 Part of a circle  
5 Depend  
6 Woody plants  
7 Every  
8 Portuguese coin  
9 Salutation  
10 Have existence  
13 River in France  
17 Snare  
20 Drunkard  
21 Cushion  
23 European blackbird  
25 Twice  
26 Mountain lakes  
28 Born  
30 Inlet  
32 Total  
34 Crush  
35 Stranger  
36 Cut off  
37 Droop  
39 Expand  
40 Beetle  
41 Emphasis  
44 Masses of ice  
48 Simple  
51 Constellation  
52 Ventilate  
53 Hurried  
55 Rule of action  
57 Hypothetical force

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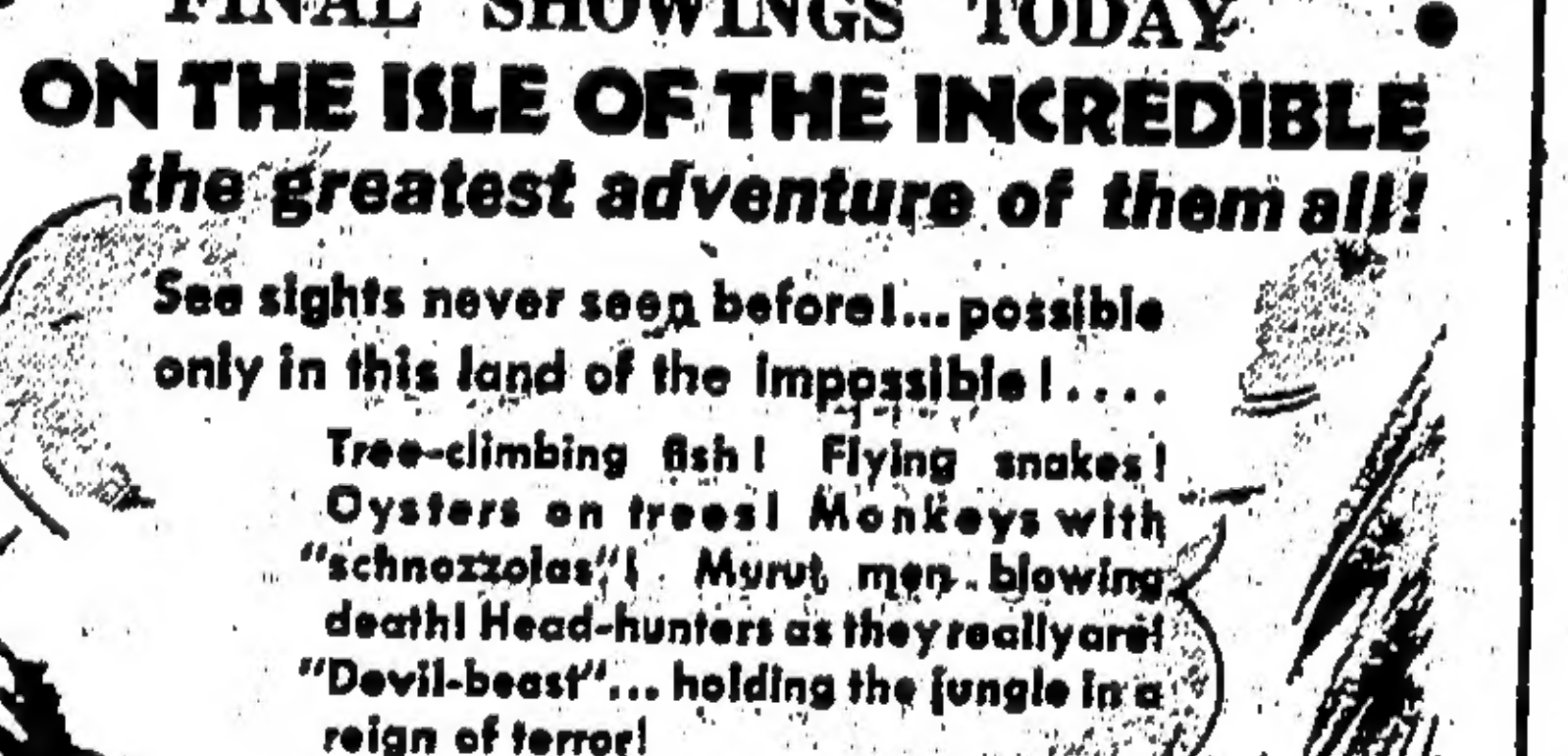
**TODAY AND TOMORROW**  
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## £4,200,000 CONTRACT FOR KRUPP'S

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An order for railway material to the value of £2,200,000 has been placed by the Turkish Government with Krupp's of Essen. It will be followed by a further contract of £1,900,000.

The first order, for which eight years' credit has been allowed by Krupp's, is to cover the doubling of the existing railway tracks in Turkey and the construction of four new lines.

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## COST OF WITHDRAWAL OF VOLUNTEERS FROM SPAIN WILL TOTAL £1,500,000

COLLECTION, MAINTENANCE WILL BE  
BORNE BY THE FIVE GREAT POWERS

### Russia Will Not Contribute To Expenditure On Transport

London, May 31.  
The cost of withdrawal of foreign volunteers from Spain was dealt with by the Chairman's Sub-Committee of the Non-Intervention Committee at today's meeting, at the Foreign Office.  
The estimated cost of collection, transport and maintenance of volunteers in camps, is between £1,000,000 and £1,500,000, while the cost of sea transport of volunteers home is estimated at £750,000.  
It was proposed that the cost of collection and maintenance be borne equally by the five great Powers participating in the Non-Intervention scheme, while the cost of transport be borne proportionately by countries to which the volunteers are repatriated.  
The Chairman, Lord Plymouth, said that Britain is willing to contribute.  
The German and Italian representatives undertook to refer the matter to their respective Governments, but the Soviet representative, M. Kagan, declared that the cost of transport and maintenance of volunteers should be borne by countries who have volunteers in Spain.

### NO RUSSIAN VOLUNTEERS

He maintained there were no Russian volunteers.  
However, after restating the attitude of his Government to the withdrawal proposals, he said the Soviet Government would be prepared to consider contributing, in common with other Governments, to the cost of establishing and maintaining commissions which are to go to Spain to ascertain the number of foreign volunteers and to supervise their withdrawal, but that the Soviet Government would not contribute to that part of the cost of the scheme which included expenditure on transport of volunteers.

The Sub-Committee will meet again on Thursday, but it is not known whether the instructions of the Governments on questions which the representatives agreed today to refer to them, will have been received by then, and it is in any case probable there will be another meeting early next week.—(Reuter and British Wireless).



LORD PLYMOUTH

### CHOLERA ON INCREASE IN SHANGHAI

Shanghai, June 1.  
The cholera cases within the International Settlement have recently greatly increased in frequency and the disease has now assumed epidemic proportions.

For these reasons the Japanese Consul-General, Mr. Hidaka notified the Shanghai Consular Corps that subjects of third Powers, like Chinese, would only be permitted to enter the part of the city occupied by the Japanese on production of the vaccination certificate.

Vaccinations are to be carried out by June 7.—(Transocean).

### FORMER H.K. GOVERNOR

Sir Cecil Clementi  
Honoured

Sir Cecil Clementi, G.C.M.G., M.A., F.R.G.S., M.R.A.S., Hon. LL.D. (Hong Kong), was on May 18 elected to Honorary Fellowship of Magdalen College, Oxford University, says The Times.

Sir Cecil, who was educated at St. Paul's School and Magdalen College (Oxon) was Governor of Hong Kong from 1925 to 1930 in which year he was appointed to the Governorship of the Straits Settlements until 1934.

Sir Cecil entered the Hong Kong Government as a cadet in 1899 and was seconded for special service under the Government of India in 1902.

### BOXER INDEMNITY EXAMINATIONS

Hankow, June 1.  
Examinations for scholarships to pursue advance studies in England, sponsored by the Board of Trustees for the Administration of the Sino-British Boxer Indemnity, will be held from July 30 to 31 at Wuchang, Chungking, Shanghai and Canton.

If the number of applicants is large, examinations will be held simultaneously in Kunming too.

Many students have already registered with the Commission to take the examinations.—(Central News)

### Pope Pius XI Celebrates 81st Birthday

Castel Gondolfo, May 31.  
Pope Pius XI today celebrated his 81st birthday.

Castel Gondolfo was beflagged for the occasion and many congratulatory messages were received including one from Cardinal Pacelli, Papal Secretary of State, on behalf of the International Eucharistic Congress which has just concluded in Budapest.—(Reuter Bulletin).

### RELIEF FOR ANHWEI WAR REFUGEES

Hankow, June 1.  
Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan, has given instructions to the National Relief Commission immediately to send relief corps to south Hunan and north Hupeh where tens of thousands of war refugees are waiting for urgent succour.

Following the shifting to new positions, by the Chinese army in Anhwei, numerous war refugees, fleeing from Fengyang, Mengcheng, Fowyang and other places have fled to Hunan and Hupeh where relief problems have daily become more acute.

A thousand refugees, it is estimated, are flocking daily to Hupeh and Hunan provinces from Anhwei.

Mr. Sun Wei-tung, a member of the National Relief Commission, has left for the chief centres where war refugees are gathered to study relief problems.—(Central News).

### IMPROVED SITUATION IN JAMAICA IS MAINTAINED

London, June 1.  
The Governor of Jamaica, Sir E. B. Denham, has cabled the Colonial Office stating that the improved situation in the Island is being maintained.

The strikers at Kingston have returned to work though not much work has been done on the sugar plantations.

The Governor has accepted the recommendations of the Conciliation Board regarding the question of minimum wages for public works employees.—(Reuter Bulletin).

### MORE TROUBLE IN ANTIOCH: THREE KILLED

Alexandretta, May 31.  
Renewed demonstrations in Antioch, led by armed Turks, resulted in three persons being killed and four wounded.

To cope with the terrorism, the authorities have erected military barricades and restricted motor traffic.

Residents have been moved from one district to another.—(Reuter Bulletin).

### GAS USED BY JAPANESE

Chinese Army  
Charges

Kaiteng, June, 1.  
More cases of the use of gas by Japanese troops were revealed in military reports reaching here today.

Evidence has been obtained, the reports state, that during the Chinese attack on Sanyichai, east of Kaiteng, on the Lunghai line, the Japanese resorted to the use of tear gas bombs to repel the Chinese assault.

Large cases of compressed tear gas, preserved in liquid form under high pressure, it is stated, have been seized by the Chinese.

At the same time, the Chinese defence force at Tungwan has reported further cases of hurling of various kinds of gas shells by the Japanese from their artillery battery across the Yellow River.

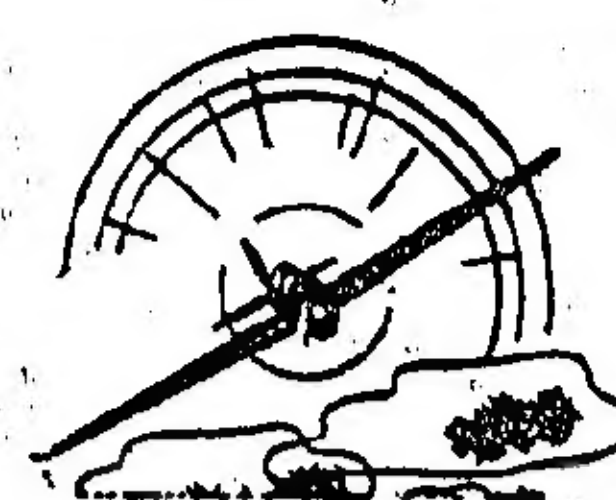
While the exact nature of these gas missiles has not been ascertained, it is reported that victims of the attack vomit violently and show signs of difficult breathing.—(Central News).

### 13 GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS IN CANTON WRECKED

Canton, June 1.  
Thirteen schools established by the Canton Municipal Government have been totally wrecked by Japanese planes since August 18, when the enemy machines first staged raids over here, according to an investigation conducted by the local Bureau of Social Welfare.

Many other public and private educational institutions have also been destroyed, but their number is not yet ascertained.—(Central News).

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## FOOT ITCH Athlete's Foot



According to the Government Health Bulletin No. E-28, at least 60% of the adult population of the United States are being attacked by the disease known as Athlete's Foot.  
Usually the disease starts between the toes. Little watery blisters form, and the skin cracks and peels. After a while, the itching becomes intense, and you feel as though you would like to scratch off all the skin.

### BEWARE OF IT SPREADING

Often the disease travels all over the bottom of the feet. The soles of your feet become red and swollen. The skin also cracks and peels, and the itching becomes worse and worse.  
Get rid of this disease as quickly as possible, because it is very contagious and it may go to your hands or even to the under arm or crotch of the legs.

Most people who have Athlete's Foot have tried all kinds of remedies to cure it without success. Ordinary germicides, antiseptics, salve or ointments seldom do any good.

### HERE'S HOW TO TREAT IT

The germ that causes the disease is known as Trichophyton. It buries itself deep in the tissues of the skin and is very hard to kill. A test made shows it takes 15 minutes of boiling to kill the germ; so you can see why ordinary remedies are unsuccessful.  
H. F. was developed solely for the purpose of treating Athlete's Foot. It is a liquid that penetrates and dries quickly. You just paint the affected parts. It peels off the tissue of the skin where the germ breeds.

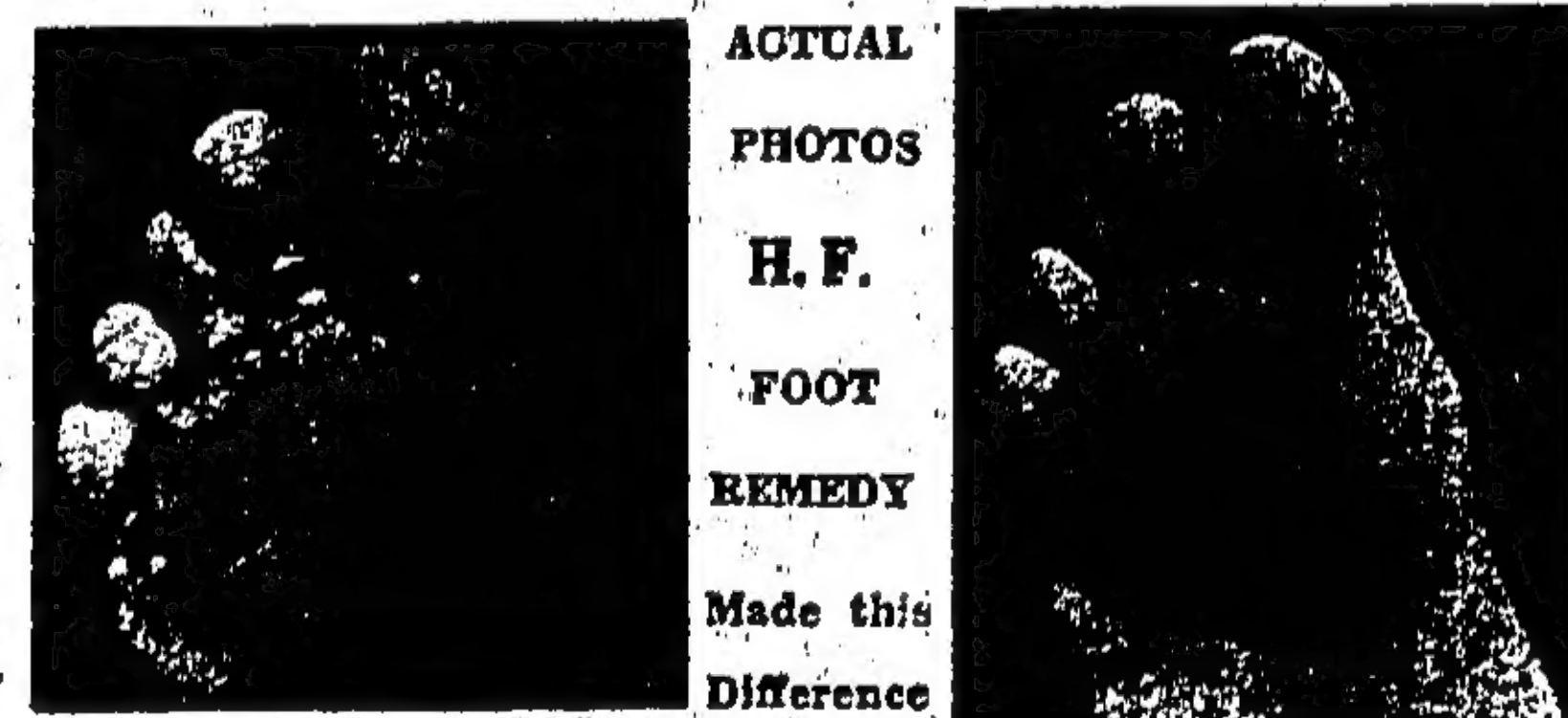
### ITCHING STOPS IMMEDIATELY

As soon as you apply H. F. you will find that the itching is immediately relieved. You should paint the infected parts with H. F. night and morning until your feet are well. Usually this takes from three to ten days, although in severe cases it may take longer or in mild cases less time.

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## HONG KONG RECIPIENTS OF HONOURS INVESTED

Hon. Mr. T.N. Chau, C.B.E.;  
Major M. A. Johnson, O.B.E.

### CERTIFICATES OF HONOUR FOR THREE CHINESE RESIDENTS

The Hon. Mr. Chau Tsun-nin, J.P., Member of the Legislative Council, and Major M. A. Johnson, M.M., of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, were invested with the insignias of Commander and Officer (Military Division), respectively, of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K.C.M.G., at Government House yesterday morning.

Mr. Ip Lan-chuen, J.P., Mr. Ping-sun, J.P., and Mr. Wong Iu-tung, J.P., were the recipients of Certificates of Honour.

The Band of the Royal Scots was in attendance in the gallery. A large and distinguished gathering was present to witness the investiture ceremony.

Guests were in their seats early while Lady Northcote, recipients and their supporters waited in the Crush Hall.

The private entree, seated near the dais, comprised: the Vicar Apostolic of Hong Kong, Bishop H. Valtorta; Mrs. R. E. Lindsell, Commodore E. B. C. Dicken, O.B.E., D.S.C., R.N., Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, C.M.G., Hon. Mr. J. A. Fraser, M.C., and Mrs. Fraser, Hon. Mr. R. A. C. North, Hon. Mr. S. Cairne and Mrs. Cairne, Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson and Mrs. Henderson, Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, K.C., LL.D., and Lady Pollock, Hon. Mr. R. H. Kote-wall, C.M.G., LL.D., Mrs. G. C. Gowlan, Group-Captain A. H. Peck, D.S.O., M.C., R.A.F., and Mrs. Peck, His Honour, Acting Justice E. H. Williams and Mrs. Williams, Hon. Sir Shouson Chow, LL.D.

Shortly before 11 a.m. Lady Northcote entered and took her seat in the centre of the private entree. Lady Northcote was attended by Mr. J. A. H. Douglas who then, with Lieut.-Cmdr. R. R. Helbert, R.N., took his place on the dais to await the procession.

His Excellency's entry was announced by Mr. A. R. S. Major.

The procession was headed by Jemadar Ferroz Khan and the Mace Bearer, Mr. H. Millington, followed by the Area Commander, Col. G. C. Gowlan and the Acting Chief Justice, His Honour Mr. R. E. Lindsell, followed by His Excellency's Aide-de-Campe, Capt. S. H. Batty-Smith, and the Private Secretary, Mr. G. Trevorton.

His Excellency the Governor was followed by Subadar-Major Jagat Singh and Subadar-Major Hoshiyar Singh, Honorary A.D.C.s. The official party took up position on the dais and the band played the first six bars of the National Anthem.

Mr. Major then announced first recipient, the Hon. Mr. Chau.

His Excellency requested the Chief Justice to read His Majesty's royal grant of dignity.

**MR. CHAU INVESTED**

The Hon. Mr. T.N. Chau was escorted to the dais by Mr. D.J. Sloss, C.B.E., M.A., Vice-Chancellor of the University, and Mr. Tso Seen-Wan, C.B.E., LL.D.

Investing the Hon. Mr. Chau, His Excellency the Governor said:—

I have it in command from His Majesty the King to bestow upon you the insignia of a Commander of the most Excellent Order of the British Empire. This award signifies His Majesty's recognition of the many loyal and valuable services which you have rendered to this Colony during your life time.

Those services have been and are being given in many different fields of which I will only mention the Legislative Council of the Colony, the Tung Wah Hospital and the Po Leung Kuk.

I take this opportunity of offering you my personal thanks for the advice and assistance which you have freely given to me during my Governorship.

I trust that for many years to come you will continue to serve Hong Kong as ably and faithfully as you have done hitherto.

**LOYAL SERVICE**  
Major M.A. Johnson was escorted by Colonel H.B.L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., and Major E.J.R. Mitchell, O.B.E.

His Excellency said:—  
I have it in command from His Majesty the King to bestow upon you the insignia of an Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

This award is in recognition of many years of loyal military service in various circumstances, beginning thirty-seven years ago when you joined the Volunteer Battalion of the Queen's Royal West Surrey Regiment.

## FILM OFFICIAL MARRIED

Mr. Greenberg Weds  
Miss L. Wohlgenuth

The wedding took place at the Registry, Supreme Court, and later at the Ohel Leah Synagogue, Rabbi Eleazar officiating, yesterday afternoon, between Mr. Berry Greenberg, Jnr., son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Greenberg, of Shanghai, and Miss Leonora Clare Wohlgenuth, only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Wohlgenuth, of Shanghai.

The bride, who was given away in marriage by Mr. Lewis Tobias, was prettily attired in a blue shark's skin suit with white blouse and blue hat and veil to match. This suit was tailored by Diana, the local dressmaker. The bride carried a beautiful corsage of white tuberoses.

The duties of best man were discharged by Mr. Harry Joseph.

A small reception was held at the Hong Kong Hotel attended by intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Greenberg, Jnr., later left for their honeymoon which is being spent at Repulse Bay Hotel.

The bridegroom is the popular manager of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer of China.

**THREE CEREMONIES**

There were three other ceremonies at the Registry.

Miss Eugenia Matveeva Guz was married to Mr. Eric Cox-Walker, the witnesses being Messrs. J. Walls and R. E. Nicholls.

Miss Bessie Hsu, daughter of Mr. C. C. Hsu, merchant, became the bride of Mr. Robert Cheng Kiat Low, student at the Lingnan University. Messrs. Chang Sing and James C. Hsu witnessed the ceremony.

The marriage between Mr. Wong Kung Kuen, of the Chinese Maritime Customs, and Miss Cheung Shui-ping was witnessed by Miss Jane Cheung and Messrs. Fung Yan-chung and J. Pool.

Mr. W. Aheurn Jones, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, officiated at all the ceremonies.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The following forthcoming marriages are announced:—Mr. Roger Chamney Bevan, motor engineer, Hong Kong Hotel Garage, and Miss Kathleen Louise Hughes Dance, secretary, of London.

Mr. Frederick Aloysius Hutchinson, plumbing engineer, of No. 31 Lucerne Road, Shanghai, and Lucy Shirazee, stenographer, of Messrs. Otto Wolff (branch) Pedder Building.

Mr. Ebrahim Kitchell, clerk, of Messrs. K. C. Chiu Company, and Miss Mary Lee Yin-san, residing at No. 7 Tin Lok Lane, first floor.

Mr. Hui Ying-gong, radio mechanic, residing at No. 72 Argyle Street, second floor, and Miss Sham Sau-ying, of No. 14 Sai Yeung-chol Street, ground floor.

**THE WEATHER OF MAY**

Unusual Track Of Typhoon

The weather during the first three days of the month was cloudy, owing to the approach of a typhoon. The latter followed a very unusual track, recurring near the Paracels on the 2nd, and passing within a hundred miles to the south-east of Hong Kong at midnight on the 3rd to 4th.

It is seldom that a fully developed typhoon affects the Colony so early in the year; during its passage the barometer fell to 29.36 inches (reduced to mean sea level), which is the lowest pressure ever recorded in May. Although the wind never reached gale force in the harbour, the maximum gust of 33 m.p.h., which occurred at 9 p.m., is also a record for the month.

Rainfall was continuous on the evening of the 3rd, but after the passage of the typhoon the weather cleared rapidly, and remained mainly sunny until the 15th.

A considerable fall in temperature on the 9th was due to the replacement of southerly winds by a cooler easterly current.

During the second half of the month the weather was variable, with frequent rain and bright intervals. A prolonged thunderstorm in the early morning of the 20th was accompanied by heavy rain.

The mean temperature for the month was 78.5 deg. F, which is 1.4 deg. above normal. A maximum of 88.5 deg was recorded on the 17th, and a minimum of 67.1 deg on the 9th. The mean relative humidity was 84 per cent, which is normal.

## H.K. PRISONS ANNUAL REPORT

ACCOMMODATION IS STILL A PROBLEM

Many Convictions For Larceny

In the annual report of the Superintendent of Prisons which was tabled at the Legislative Council yesterday it is revealed the question of accommodation is still occupying the minds of the authorities who cannot find a way out at present to cope with the increasing number of prisoners.

Recently 310 male prisoners were alleged to be released before the expiration of their sentences. The reason for this move was because the prisons were overcrowded and accommodation had to be made for new prisoners.

The general behaviour of the prisoners and the discipline in all prisons was very good, and the health of the prisoners was satisfactorily maintained.

The Hong Kong Prison at Stanley was opened in January and was then partly occupied. This prison was not fully occupied until September.

There were three executions during the year.

**FEMALES' PRISON**

The females' prison at Lanchow was also overcrowded.

There was a decrease in the number of prisoners convicted in the New Territory Courts.

**333 CONVICTS**

During 1937 out of a population of 1,010,039, the number of convicts totalled 333, the highest since 1929, when they totalled 331. In 1928 the total was 352, while in 1936 it was 297.

The 1937 figures give .03 per cent of the population.

The number of offenders convicted by ordinary courts was 15,711 as compared with 14,801 in 1936. The number of debtors was 49 as compared with 50 for the previous year, and the number of persons on remand, or in default of finding surety was 1,328, as compared with 1,255.

The report states that the increase in the number of prisoners is chiefly due to a large number of convictions for larceny, hawking and forestry offences. The political situation in China and the influx of refugees is possibly the cause of many of the convictions.

**HEAVY EXPENDITURE**

The finances show that the entire prison department cost \$1,021,593.04 to maintain, as compared with \$884,851.02 in 1936.

Personal emoluments amounted to \$512,008.81 as against \$472,020.40 the previous year. Increase under most of the other headings were also shown.

The most important item—subsistence of prisoners—cost \$320,885.15 as against the 1936 figure of \$257,237.14.

Against this is shown revenue for the year, which amounted to \$5,013.75, made up of prison subsistence \$1,072 and prison industries \$3,341.75. The comparative 1936 figures were a total of \$4,894.35 comprising \$1,335 from prison subsistence and \$3,559.35 from prison industries.

**DECREASE IN REVENUE**

Prison expenditure for the last ten years has shown a generally increasing trend. In 1928 it was \$493,271.58. Last year it amounted to \$1,021,593.04, nearly three times as much. In 1936 the expenditure was \$884,851.02, in 1935 it was \$748,120.33, in 1934 it was \$828,788.71, in 1933 it was \$853,873.28, in 1932 it was \$780,111.08, in 1931 it was \$791,012.42, in 1930 it was \$689,592.89 and in 1929 it amounted to \$521,531.73.

Prison revenues have not shown the same increases. The biggest revenue was in 1934 when it amounted to \$220,622.50. Last year it was \$188,550.10, in 1936 it was \$188,341.95, in 1935 it amounted to \$204,154.03. The \$200,000 mark was also topped in 1932 and 1933, but it fell below that figure for the preceding years of 1931, 1930, 1929 and 1928. This total revenue includes the estimated value of prison labour.

Sunshine amounted to 162 hours, against a normal of 158 hours. The total rainfall was 8.71 inches, which is 2.79 inches less than normal; the majority of this rain fell during the typhoon of the 3rd and the thunderstorm of the 20th.

**RAINFALL**

The rainfall recorded at the Botanical Gardens last month totalled 10.42 inches, of which 6.48 was registered on May 19.

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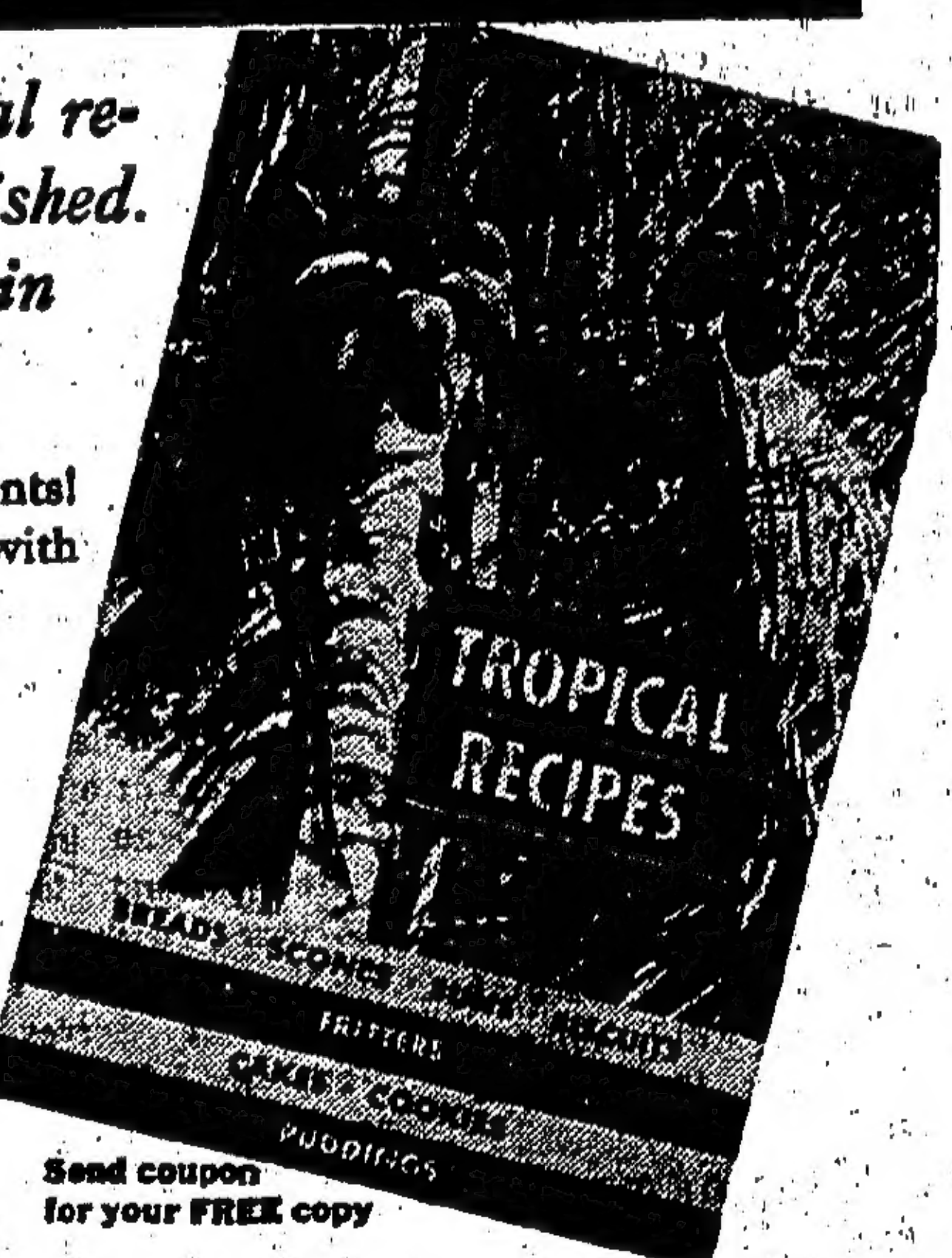
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## QUEEN MARY THANKS HONG KONG

The Secretary of State for the Colonies has sent the following telegram to H.E. the Governor of Hong Kong in response to a telegram of felicitations sent to Her Majesty Queen Mary on the occasion of her 71st birthday:

"Your telegram 135 has been laid before Her Majesty Queen Mary who desires that an expression of her sincere thanks for the message contained therein may be conveyed to you."

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## NOTICE

On and after the 2nd June, 1938 the Passport Office at the Colonial Secretariat will be situated in the Police Department Offices, 5th floor, Chung Tin Building, No. 5, Des Voeux Road, Central.

(Sd.) T. H. KING,  
Commissioner of Police.  
2nd June, 1938.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 7th day of June, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at La Salle Road, Kowloon Tsai, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Acres.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
1	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2817 Adjacent to New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1136, La Salle Road.	ft. ft. ft. ft.	As per sale plan.	330	10,000

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NOTICE is also hereby given that the Singapore Transfer Registers will be closed from Monday, 13th June, to Monday, 20th June, 1938, both days inclusive, for the preparation of Dividend Warrants.

By Order of the Board,  
DERRICK & CO.,  
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Hong Kong Bank Chambers,  
SINGAPORE, 21st May, 1938.

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## PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 7th day of June, 1938, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at To Kwa Wan, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

## PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Acres.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
2	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4017 Opposite Kowloon Marine Lot No. 73 To Kwa Wan Road.	ft. ft. ft. ft.	As per sale plan.	184	6,000

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## ADVERTISEMENTS.

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

## PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS of James Reid, late of Oakleigh, 231, Nithsdale Road, Glasgow, Retired Shipbuilder, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to the 23rd June, 1938.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

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## CHINA'S RESERVES

THE JAPANESE are very fond of quoting figures—figures telling of "innocent Chinese civilians slaughtered in mass air raids," of "victories" scored by the ruthless invaders, of unarmed junks sunk by the Japanese Navy.

But there is one figure of which the Japanese do not care to talk, of which they think with considerable trepidation.

And that figure is China's population of 450,000,000—a nation so vast that from it can be drawn, without fear of exhaustion, an army after army of patriotic soldiers to defend their country against unwarranted aggression and to drive the Japanese invaders from the land.

The Chinese are not militaristic, inclined but, since the outbreak of the hostilities, the entire nation has willingly co-operated in the great task of training China's civilians in modern methods of warfare.

At the start of the war the National Army Conscription Headquarters and the National Mass Mobilisation Committee, were immediately organised under the Central Government and branches were soon set up in every province, municipality and district throughout the country.

FORTUNATELY, the people of China, were by no means unprepared for conscription. Citizen training had been in operation on a nation-wide scale months ahead of the People's National Assembly, which was to have been held in Nanking on November 12 last, and which was to have included mass military training as one of the necessary phases of nation life.

So, when the Japanese fired the first shot in their undeclared war on China at the Marco Polo Bridge on July 7, thousands upon thousands of able-bodied civilian Chinese had already been trained in the rudiments of war and were ready for field service.

To qualify for active army service the civilian Chinese have to pass through three stages of training.

Those who have completed the first stage are organised into the People's Militia Corps; those given the second are promoted into the Standing Militia Corps of

## UNCEASING FLOW OF REFUGEES INTO COLONY

### Each Immigrant Must Have \$20

Each immigrant from China must have at least \$20 in his or her possession. This is one of the new regulations governing the entry into the Colony of Chinese refugees.

The Police authorities are enforcing this and other regulations in order to stop the unceasing flow of Chinese refugees into the Colony. In the case of a person entering the Colony without the required amount in possession, arrangements will then be made for his or her repatriation.

Ships arriving from infected ports will be boarded in the quarantine anchorage and ships from other ports will be boarded in Kowloon Bay or somewhere near the quarantine anchorage.

## EXCHANGE RATE

Canton, June 1.  
The Hong Kong dollar again rose to \$2.02 last night owing to heavy demand. Many people bought Hong Kong dollars in order to go to that Colony following the requirement that each refugee must have \$20 before being allowed to land.—(Our Own Correspondent).

Righteousness and Bravery; while the third stage of training in advanced military technique and tactics qualifies them as reservists, ready to be drafted into active service.

Remarkable progress has been made with this training and now, over 10 months after the start of hostilities, China has millions of reservists prepared to be sent to the front.

FOR INSTANCE, in the Central China province of Hupeh, which has a population of 25,541,636, the reservists in April numbered 1,700,000, while the neighbouring province of Hunan, with a total population of 28,293,735, had by March trained 2,000,000 reinforcements.

The reserve lists for these two provinces, as well as for other provinces, grows daily as the military training conducted by the DAILY Army Conscription Offices and Mass Mobilisation Committees continues throughout the country.

All men within the age bracket of 18 and 45 are subject to conscription in China. This, as applied to Szechuen, the huge western province of China, would mean the arming of one out of every seven citizens, according to a statement made by Mr. Ku Mojo, a Szechuenese leader who is a director of the Political Affairs Board of the National Military Council.

On this basis, he pointed out, Szechuen with a population of 70,000,000, equalling that of Japan can turn out 10,000,000 soldiers.

Taking China as a whole, it would be fairly safe to say that 10 per cent. of her population is available for army service.

THE POPULATION of the 16 provinces of Hupeh, Hunan, Fukien, Kiangsi, Kwangsi, Kwangtung, Kweichow, Szechuen, Yunnan, Ninghsia, Shensi, Sikong, Sinkiang, Kansu, Outer Mongolia and Tibet, according to the current issue of the China Year Book totals 227,759,211.

Out of this number it has been assessed that 22,775,921 are able-bodied and of fighting age.

These men FORMIDABLE would make an ARMY INDEED a formidable army indeed and one before which the Japanese aggressors might well feel faint-hearted.

An order from the Central Government was circulated in February throughout nine provinces where army conscription had been in full force, advising that any province might be called upon each month, beginning from February, to supply 10,000 men for the war front.

Japan may continue to bolster up her waning courage by bombing civilians and sinking helpless fisher-folk, but she will never be able to overcome the fact that she will be defeated long before China has found it necessary to bring more than a fraction of her fighting forces into the field.

And Japan was going to "beat China to her knees" in a few weeks!

## LAWYER SAYS COMPLAINANT EXAGGERATED

### Majestic Ballroom Case Resumed

The case against the management of the Majestic Ballroom, summoned for creating unnecessary noise so as to disturb the peace, was continued yesterday before Mr. Edwards at Central Court.

Mr. M. A. da Silva was for the defence while Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, prosecuted.

Evidence was given yesterday by Mr. Edward Lee-tak, floor manager of the ballroom, who said that the buildings in the neighbourhood were all occupied by offices, there being few rooms used as residences.

Mr. Silva submitted that the statement of the complainant, Mr. D. Fitches, that the noise of the band was such that he had not been able to sleep for a month was exaggerated. Mr. Silva further said that if it was true Mr. Fitches would have suffered some ill physical effects.

The case will be continued today.

## 421 WEDDINGS LAST YEAR

### Many Solemnised At Registry

The report of the Land Office, and Registrar of Marriages for 1937, tabled at the Legislative Council yesterday, stated that the number of marriages celebrated in the Colony during the year was 421, (of which 236 were between Chinese persons) as compared with 375 (and 219) respectively in 1936—an increase of 46.

The total amount of fees received under the second schedule of the Marriage Ordinance 1875, was \$3,286.16 as compared with \$3,168.00 in 1936—an increase of \$118.16.

The increase is mainly accounted for by the greater number of marriages solemnised at the Office of the Registrar.

## LAND OFFICE

The total consideration on sales, mortgages, surrenders and miscellaneous land transactions registered in the Land Office amounted to \$4,927,837.70, and 742 Crown leases were issued during the year, as against 538 in the previous year—an increase of 104.

The total amount of fees collected exclusive of the New Territories amounted to \$6,286.50, being a decrease of \$3,280.25 on the preceding year.

Land registration fees in the New Territories amounted to \$6,030.45, and Crown lease fees to \$80.

Stamp duties paid on registered documents (exclusive of Probates and Letters of Administration) amounted to \$174,650.25 a decrease of \$80,172.30.

## THEOSOPHICAL MEETING

Tonight at the lodge-room of the local Theosophical Society there will be held a public Questions and Answers meeting. For all the questions those interested would like to voice, members in the audience will be prepared to answer from their seats.

The lodge room is situated at 1B Chater Road.

## POLICE RESERVE PARADE

Various detachments of the Hong Kong Police Reserve took part in a practice parade at Police Headquarters yesterday for the Governor's inspection, which will be held on Friday.

The Commissioner of Police, the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, was present.

## NAVAL COURTS MARTIAL

Two court-martials are being held this morning on board H.M.S. Tamar, when two able-seamen accused of striking a petty officer in the execution of his duty on board H.M.S. Delight, will be tried separately.

## LOCAL HEALTH

Two cases of measles, and one each of cholera, enteric fever and cerebro-spinal fever were notified to the Health Authorities on Tuesday.

# Hello & Goodbye

-BY A. W. HYER-

EVERYONE and his cousin were at the Kowloon Wharf Sunday evening. Homage was paid to Norddeutscher Lloyd's Gneisenau, her officers, passengers, her bar and the "German Band." The intermittent overflowing of the clouds had no effect upon the jubilant party spirit, or the fine feathers of the males and females.

The large, substantial, white steamer Gneisenau—Coloured lights—bright blinding spot-lights—laughing people—singing people—band music—whoops of the ship's whistle (it did whoop!)—and the calls of "Auf Wiedersehen" were all factors in a completely enjoyable and exciting departure.

Captain H. Hengstenberg, with a full passenger list, sailed 8.30 p.m., Sunday for Hamburg.

Mr. Carl Berkelmann is tops when it comes to "pursering," very efficiently he sees to the passengers' comforts, amusements and woes.

Mr. Berkelmann has been connected with Norddeutscher Lloyd since 1910. On arrival in the home port, he is due for a vacation of six months. No sailing the seas in these days to come; he will remain with Mrs. Berkelmann and his children in Germany.

Mr. J. K. Rousfield, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, on his way to Manila, was bid Bon Voyage by a large delegation of friends.

Also Dr. and Mrs. F. Shore, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Williams, on their way to Singapore, were practically mobbed by well-wishers. We did not have our policeman's whistle with us, so breaking through to them was impossible.

We wish you all a pleasant journey.

Anna Maersk

THESE Maersk boats come in bunches.

Tuesday a.m. at Stonecutters arrived Captain C. Hansen with his Anna Maersk from New York via Japan and Shanghai.

Two passengers disembarking at Hong Kong were Mr. and Mrs. P. Botelho, of Botelho Bros., who were ending a very pleasant journey and glad to be back in the Colony.

C.N.A.C.

CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. Woods Ding, who took off at Kai Tak 8 a.m. Wednesday.

Mr. Ding, on his way to Hankow, will assume his new duties as Assistant Manager in the C.N.A.C. office in said city.

President McKinley

SEVEN a.m. Tuesday—Here comes the smiling and jovial Captain C. Bryant and his President McKinley from Seattle via Japan, with a small in-transit passenger list and heavy cargo.

The McKinley sailing Wednesday 4 p.m. to Manila is replacing the President Taft run (Taft in drydock, San Francisco) and will be back in Hong Kong, June 18, then on to San Francisco.

Bobby, Captain Bryant's "intelligent face" hound, is aboard and enjoying his summer cruise.

## PENSIONS FOR WIDOWS REDUCED

At the Legislative Council meeting yesterday, the Colonial Treasurer and Financial Secretary (Hon. Mr. Sydney Caine) moved the following resolution:—

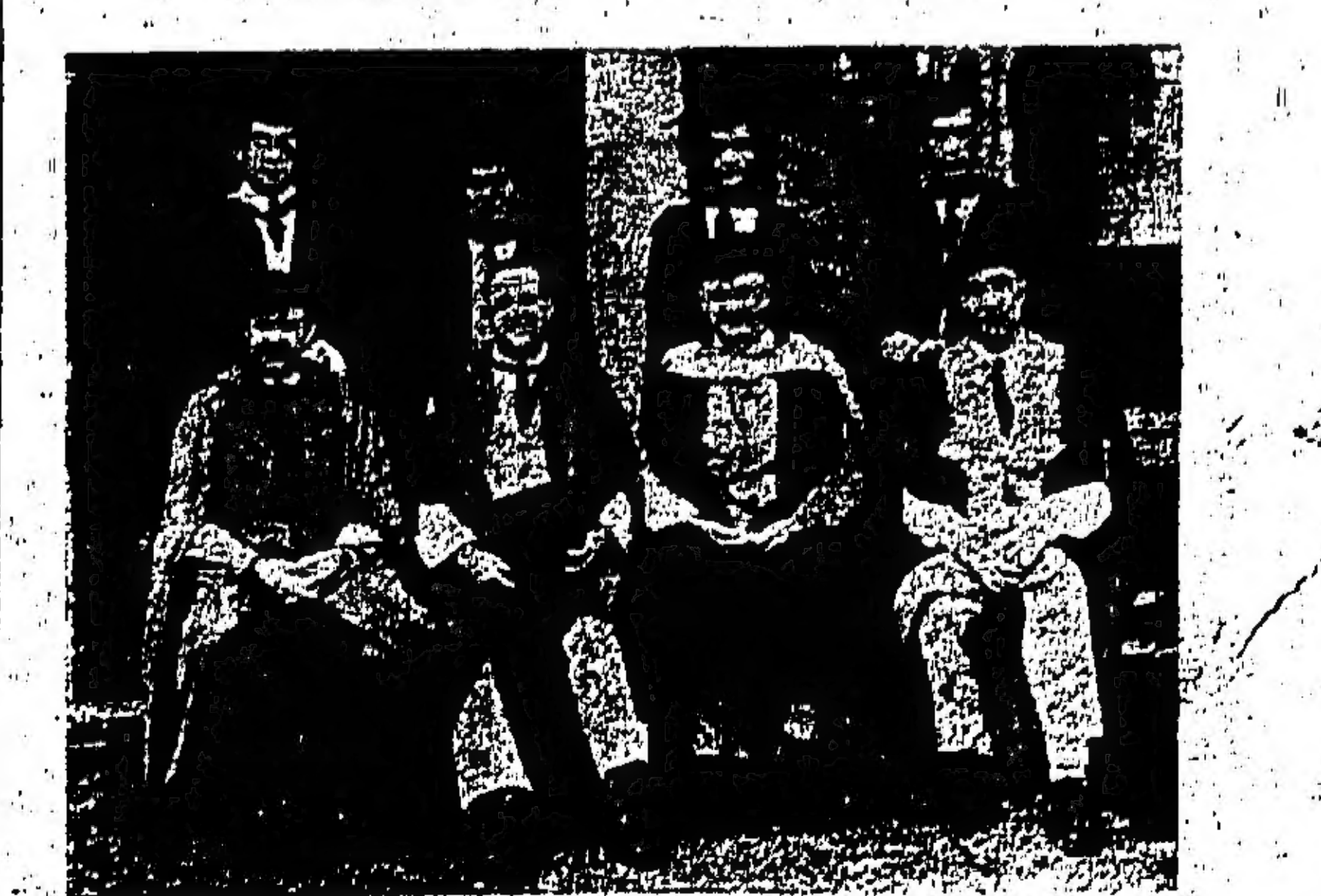
The resolution is required because, by a resolution of this Council adopted in 1902, a fixed rate of exchange of 3/- to the dollar was prescribed for pensions paid in England from the Widows' and Orphans' Pensions Fund and this rate is obviously no longer appropriate to present conditions.

The special rate applies of course, only to pensions calculated on dollar salaries but while the majority of pensions now granted to persons living in England are calculated on sterling salaries there is no reason why any pensions which may be granted hereafter on the basis of dollar salaries should be artificially increased by payment at a rate of exchange of more than twice the current rate.

If this resolution is adopted all such pensions granted in future will be paid at the current rate of the day.

The Colonial Secretary seconded, and the resolution was carried.

## MEDICAL GRADUATES



The above picture shows the graduates in medicine and surgery of the Hong Kong University who received degrees on Monday. Seated centre (left) Prof. K. H. Digby (right) Prof. L. T. Eids. (Photo: A. Fong).



## ARTS GRADUATES



New Bachelors of Arts of the Hong Kong University with Prof. R. K. M. Simpson, second from right seated. (Photo: A. Fong).

## IRON ORE TO JAPAN

## No Malayan Ban Contemplated

London, June 1. In the House of Commons today, Mr. A. C. Moreing asked whether in view of the Australian Government's embargo on export of West Australian iron ore to Japan the British Government would consult the Government of Malaya with a view of similar prohibition being applied to exports from Malaya.

Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, secretary for the Colonies, replied in the negative, and added that the action of the Australian Government was prompted by industrial requirements of the Commonwealth. No parallel existed in the case of Malaya. (Reuter).

## BOOKS ABOARD BATTLESHIPS

## New Library System For The Navy

## G.B.C. RATED AS FIRST-CLASS

The Admiralty are to start a circulating library system among the smaller ships of the Royal Navy.

Adhering to the system of supplying reading matter for the naval personnel has been on the basis of allocating a "ship's library," classed according to the complement of the ship. This "classing" of libraries was concerned not only with the number of volumes which could be issued to any particular class of ship, but also the works which the library could contain. Some wise authority in Whitehall decreed that certain books were more suitable to one sailor serving in a cruiser than in a battleship. The works of G.B.C., for instance, were very "First Class," and a study of them was open only to the sailor in the largest ship.

That system had disadvantages. If, in a commission of two and a half years a voracious reader worked his way completely through the ship's library, all he could do was to start again at the beginning.

## NEW SYSTEM

Under the new system of circulating libraries ships will exchange their libraries with other ships when they feel like it. Thus it will not be single volumes which will circulate, but "sets" of books into which the library is divided up. A destroyer, for instance, will have a library consisting of two "sets," and a small cruiser will have three or four "sets" of books in its library.

The sailor who wants to read a particular book must not apply to the librarian for the book by its title and the name of its author. That would be too easy. He must look up the list affixed to the lid of the case and apply for the book by its naval title—"Set IV, No. 49."

The new naval circulating libraries will have to be accounted for in the Accountant Officer's Loan Clothing Account, and B.R. 93, Manual of Victualing, is to be amended as necessary.

There is, however, one book which must not be bandied about from ship to ship—the King's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions.

## WORLD'S FAITH IN GOLD

## Still Most Liquid Of Assets

London, June 1. The latest issue of the Midland Bank Review contains an article analysing the function of gold in the present world situation. "It is plain that gold is still regarded as a store of value possessing more of the quality of security than most other valuable assets," says the article.

"Unlike most other assets, gold seems to the holder to give a high degree of assurance of convertibility into his own or any other currency at any time that he may wish to realise it."

## GOOD IN EMERGENCY

Dealing with official holders, the article points out that their action in holding gold is likewise based on the belief that in any emergency a buyer can be found at a price corresponding to the liability contracted in acquiring the metal.

In other words, gold is regarded as the most liquid of all assets and the least subject to depreciation. (Reuter).

## NEW COUNCIL MEMBER

At the Legislative Council Meeting held yesterday, Col. G. C. Gowelland was sworn in as a member of the Council.

Col. Gowelland is taking the place of Brigadier F. W. L. Bissett who went on leave last week, as Area Commander of the Hong Kong Garrison.

At the last meeting of the Council on May 12, Brigadier Bissett was sworn in as a member to take the place of H.E. the G.O.C., Major-General A. W. Bartholomew who is at present on his annual tour of inspection in North China.

## JEWISH MERCHANTS IMPRISONED

## Adulterating Food Charge

Berlin, June 1. Fines amounting to £1,500,000 and imprisonment from three years to six months were inflicted in Hamburg today on seven Jewish owners of wine exporting firms on charges of adulterating foodstuffs and violation of exchange regulations.

It is reported from Vienna that 2,000 Jews have been arrested on similar charges. (Reuter).

## BOIS ROUSSEL WINS DERBY

(Continued from Page 1)

By this time the rain was falling heavily and, showing a distinct liking for the conditions, Halcyon Gift went up to the first place and ran so beautifully that it looked every inch the winner.

Rounding the bend at Tottenham Corner, Halcyon Gift kept the lead and was two to three lengths ahead of a closely bunched group.

As the field entered the straight, Halcyon Gift was still well ahead of Scottish Union, Pasch and others. Bois Roussel was running sixth.

About three furlongs from home, Halcyon Gift was beaten by Scottish Union, which came on with fine speed, with Pasch closely following and Golden Sovereign challenging on the outside.

Pasch joined issue with Scottish Union below the distance but did not stay.

As it dropped out, Bois Roussel came up with a strong run in the middle of the course. Catching Scottish Union inside the distance, the French horse raced away strongly and won easily.

The first nine unplaced were Pound Foolish, Caveman, Golden Sovereign, Portmarnock, Unbreakable, Manonite, Halcyon Gift, Slip On, Troon, with Malabar last. (Reuter).

## THE STARTERS

The following were the starters: Licence (Crouch), Pound Foolish (Jones), Caveman (Beary), Golden Sovereign (Weston), Caerlepton (Lane), Faroe (Perryman), Troon (Sammy Wragg), Malabar (Marshall), Chatsworth (Lowry), Manonite (Mahir), Tahir (Smirke), Mirza II (Harry Wragg), Halcyon Gift (Cliff Richards), Slip On (Wrickaby), Pasch (Gordon Richards), Flynn (E. Smith), Bland Star (Sprague), Scottish Union (Carlslake), Portmarnock (Pat Beasley), Bois Roussel (Elliot), Unbreakable (Stephenson), Valerian III (Taylor).

Seventh Wonder did not run. (Reuter).

## PLANES APPEAR OVER CANTON

## Excitement Along Waterfront

Canton, June 1. Canton people flocked under cover when six Japanese planes appeared over the city shortly before 2 p.m. today. Ground fire was directed at the machines, which circled over the city.

No bombs were dropped on Lingnan University the previous report being incorrect. It was stated today. (International).

## SHAMEEN GATES CLOSED

Canton, June 1. The air raid alarm sounded at 2 p.m. There was the usual excitement along the waterfront and the gates of Shameen were closed. (Reuter).

## PRICE OF TIN DEPRECIATES VERY LITTLE

London, June 1. Last night's announcement of the Malayan Tin Buffer Pool's referendum did not result in any fireworks in this morning's metal exchange, upon which tin moved erratically towards somewhat lower levels.

It had previously been certain that the amount of buying in anticipation of the referendum was proving favourable to the pool proposals, and consequently there was little profit taking today which was sufficient to offset the small volume of new buying.

## DETAILED SCHEME

At tomorrow's meeting, the International Committee will have to discuss a detailed scheme for the formation of an administration pool.

Some quarters expect the meeting to be protracted, but the Committee may immediately announce the quota cut for market purposes and subsequently declare an additional quota for the formation of buffer stock. (Reuter).

## AMAZING BOUT IN NEW YORK

## Barney Ross Very Game Loser

New York, June 1. In one of the most amazing exhibitions of non-stop fighting ever seen in New York, Henry Armstrong last night battered a very game Barney Ross into a pulp, and became double world champion by annexing the welterweight crown on points before a crowd of 60,000.

Armstrong weighted in at 9 st. 7½ and Ross at 10 st. 2.

The referee, Donovan, asked Ross in the eleventh round if he was game to continue. Ross replied "Yes."

Between each of the last four rounds Donovan examined Ross but the loser always begged to be allowed to continue. (Reuter).

## LATE CRICKET RESULTS

London, June 1.

At Bristol, the match between Gloucester and the Australians was not played owing to rain.

Don Bradman strained his back yesterday and is leaving for London for examination. "He may miss two matches."

Lunch scores of other matches played today are as follows:—

At Lords, The Rest scored 97 for 2 against the England Test team.

Worcester v. Essex, 86 for 2.

Surrey v. Warwickshire, 112 for 1.

Yorkshire v. Hampshire, 67 for 1.

There was no play in the Kent v. Somersetshire and Oxford University v. Middlesex matches owing to rain. (Reuter).

## PUBLIC SALE OF FLOWERS

(Continued from Page 1)

The services of the students of 16 self-supported Chinese girls' schools have been obtained to carry out the flower sale on the streets.

Any person donating a sum of 85 or upward and who cares to leave his or her name, will be acknowledged with thanks in the Hong Kong Daily Press of June 7. Donations by cheques will also be accepted, but they should be crossed and made payable to the Hong Kong Confucian Society.

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## GUERRILLAS NEAR SHAI

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## LUNGSHAI FIGHTING CONTINUES

Hankow, June 1. Heavy fighting is still in progress on the western section of the Lungshai railway between Kaileng and Lanfeng.

From the fact that preparations are rapidly being made to dispatch 10 more Chinese divisions to this part of the Lungshai front, it is concluded in foreign circles here that the Chinese Command is by no means contemplating the withdrawal of its forces from this zone.

Since early hours this morning, the Japanese batteries stationed on the north bank of the Yellow River between Kaileng and Lanfeng have kept up a persistent furious bombardment of the Chinese positions on the south bank with the object of facilitating the attempts of the Japanese troops to cross the river.

For several days now the Chinese have succeeded in frustrating all Japanese attempts to gain a footing on the south side.

DOIHARA'S MEN TRAPPED. Meanwhile, the Doihara Division, entrapped by the Chinese troops near Lanfeng, are continuing to offer stubborn resistance in the hope of being relieved.

The Japanese relief force sent from Hsuehchow has been halted by the Chinese at Ningling near Kweth.

Fresh fighting has broken out in the south of the Lungshai Railway in the vicinity of Poshon, whose reported capture by the Japanese has been officially denied by Chinese Headquarters in Hankow.

In this region, the Japanese seem to have launched an attack in the direction of Luyi, some 37 miles south of the railway line.

## MILITARY CONFERENCE

Chinese military quarters here express satisfaction over the position on the Lungshai Railway. Any further attempts on the part of the Japanese to break through or to penetrate into Central China, it is claimed, will encounter insuperable difficulties.

A number of Chinese army leaders have arrived in Hankow to take part in military consultations, among them being Generals P. Chung-hsi, Feng Yu-hsiang and Li Tsung-jen. (Transocean).

## HOFEI WALL ELECTRIFIED

Ulan, June 1. Fearing that the Chinese will scale the city wall to attack them, the Japanese in Hofei have placed barbed-wire barricades charged with electric current on the top of the walls.

With the recapture of Tashu-shan, the Chinese have tightened their iron ring around Hofei. The Japanese are now entrenched behind strong barricades outside the city. (Central News).

## EXPECT HOFEI RECAPTURE

Hankow, June 1. Five hundred Chinese dare-devil troops armed with large hand-grenades stormed Hofei, in Central Anhwei last night and succeeded in entering the town. Street fighting was in progress this morning.

The Japanese are showing signs of weakening, and some of them are retreating. Complete occupation of the town is expected late tonight. (International).

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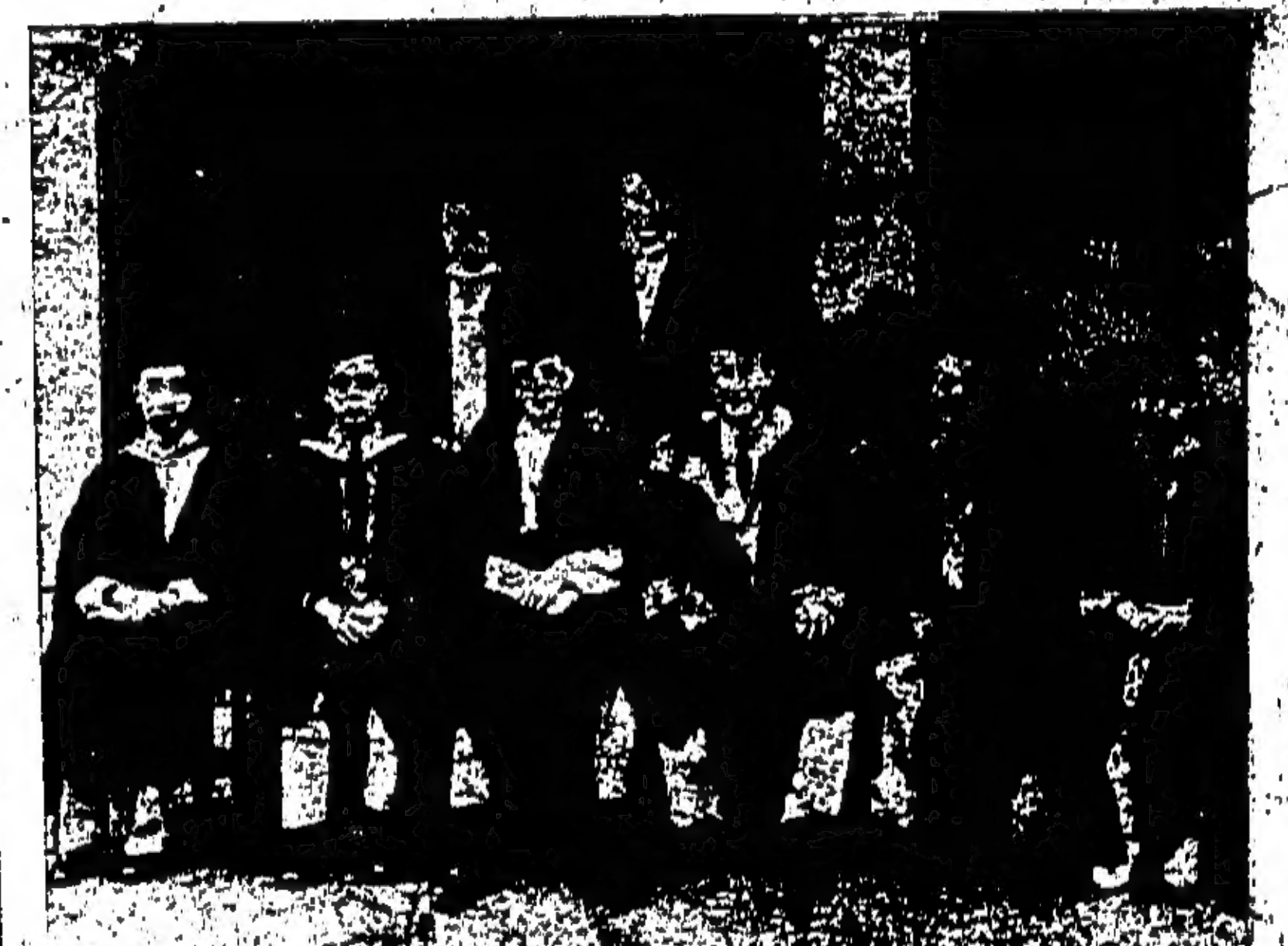
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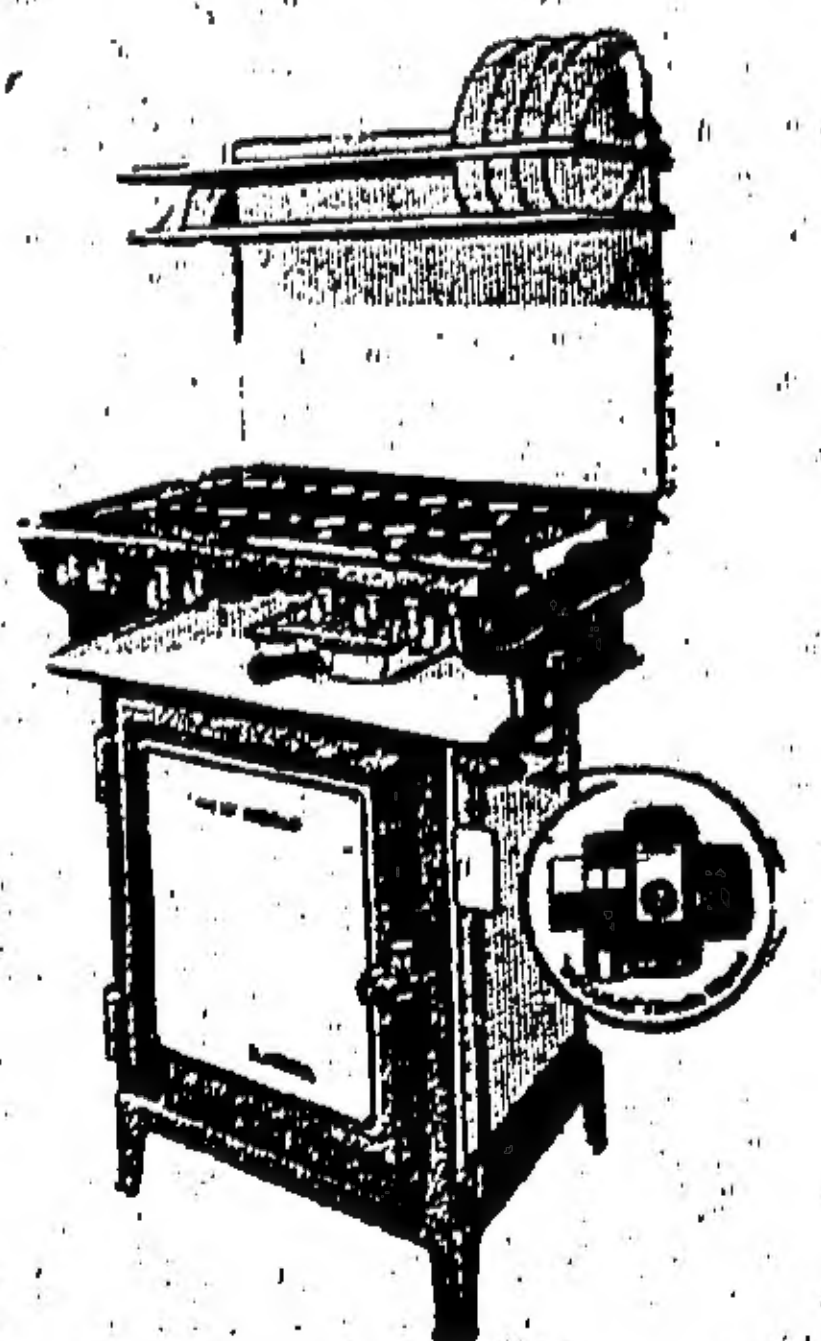
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## ENGINEERING GRADUATES



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## CLOSE FINISHES FEATURE WEEK-END BOWLS

### Craigengower's Hard Struggle Against C.S.C.C.

### INDIANS DROP POINTS TO KOWLOON C.C.

By B. R. Swiller

With the exception of the match between the Kowloon Football Club and the Yacht Club, in which the former established a record for the Third Division by registering a win of 50 shots, all the bowls games concluded last Saturday were marked by very close scores.

The Craigengower Cricket Club beat the Civil Service Cricket Club by four shots. Kowloon C.C. beat the Indians by four shots. The Kowloon Bowling Green tied at 47 all with the Kowloon Dock, and the Kowloon Bowling Green second team got home with only one shot to spare in their match against Football Club "A."

On Saturday, the Kowloon Cricket Club unexpectedly beat the Indians, up till then an unbeaten team, at Sookunpoo by four shots. The statement that the I.R.C. had not, until last Saturday, played against the best teams in the League seems to have been borne out. Their real strength was for the first time put in the balance when they met the K.C.C. and was found wanting.

In this match the Indians were leading by 10 shots during tea, but they cracked up badly afterwards. A. R. Dallah, the I.R.C. skip, could not do anything right in his match against E. C. Fincher who was playing very well, although I am sure Fincher himself will agree with me he had more than his share of "joss" on a few heads. Fincher's win of 9 shots over Dallah, was, however, offset by Minu who beat E. Kern by 22-13.

Minu was playing a better game by far than Kern and was ably supported by his front men, especially J. Hoosen, his No. 1, who had the better of W. Mulcahy in a good many number of heads. R. Craig, Kern's No. 3, was the best man in the rink and was always dangerous.

E. el Arculli, in his tussle against J. Hyde, suffered from another lapse of form. That his rink lost only by four shots was chiefly due to the efforts of his front men, though I must say this for him that he was able to hold his own against Hyde in the early stages of the game. Later, however, he seemed to lose confidence and was short with his woods most of the time.

**ARCULLI'S DROPPED WOOD**  
On the last head but two, when the skips (Arculli and Hyde) went down to bowl, Hyde was lying four shots. His second shot, being a couple of yards away from the Jack, Arculli dropped his first wood and was hardly half-way up the green. His second wood was a little better but he was still about eight yards short. Hyde had meanwhile put in one more and was therefore five shots up on that head. He eventually won by 18 shots to 14.

**FRIGHT FOR C.C.C.**  
The Civil Service, who are at the bottom of the League Table, must have given Craigengower a fright in their match on the latter's green. Although they eventually lost, they gave a very good account of themselves and very nearly snatched a victory from their powerful opponents. Indeed, they might have won, as they were leading all the way until towards the end, and on the last head between B. W. Bradbury and S. Randle (the other rinks having already been decided) Craigengower were only two shots up. However, Bradbury put the issue beyond doubt by scoring two shots. How Craigengower must have perspired at the thought of this very close shave!

**ALVES WINS.**  
The Police lost to Recreio at home by 15 shots. With the exception of two changes, the Police had the same rinks as they had when they met and defeated the Kowloon Cricket Club. All three Portuguese skips won. H. A. Alves, the Interporter, had the biggest margin of victory in beating W. Mair by 26-14. Incidentally, he has won only twice in five matches.

**THE SECOND DIVISION**  
In the Second Division, Craigengower narrowly beat the Police by five shots on the latter's green. It was entirely through the efforts of J. Cavanagh and his men that Craigengower won, as Medina tied at 19—all with Carey and K. M. Omar was down to Moss by two shots. J. Cavanagh played well to beat F. Booker by seven shots and was given all the support he needed from his men.

As the result of their defeat at the hands of the Kowloon Bowling Green, the Hong Kong Football Club "A" Team have been super-

sed as leaders in the Second Division by Craigengower and have dropped to the fourth place in the Table. Although the Hong Kong Footballers were up by 4 shots on two rinks, J. Roger lost by 5 shots to J. S. Logan and the team was one shot behind their opponents at the end of the game.

**NEW "THIRD" RECORD**  
The Kowloon Football Club created a record in the Third Division when they trounced the Yacht Club by 50 shots at North Point. The three K.F.C. skips were all up, W. Field being credited with the biggest margin of victory of 24 shots over A. McDough. The Hong Kong Electric, as expected, beat K.C.C. by 18 shots at Cox Road.

Credit for the victory must go to Sidney who beat J. Fraser of the K.C.C. by 15 shots. The other two rinks, Hong Kong Electric, skips, L. de Rome and W. Muskett, were down by nine shots altogether to H. Nish and T. Carr.

**RINKS MATCHES**  
Several matches were played last Sunday in the first round of the Colony Rinks Championship. On the Police green two rinks from the Craigengower Cricket Club met. The rink which won the championship last year (consisting of J. R. Soares, J. W. Leonard, L. R. Souza and C. S. Rosset) had to fight tooth and nail for victory as they found their opponents (W. Penny, K. M. Omar, M. J. Medina and J. Cavanagh) almost as good as they were.

Leonard at No. 2 for Rosset, played a great game and was instrumental in bringing about a victory for his side by two shots.

**SURPRISE RESULT**  
Another Craigengower rink (C. W. Lam, N. P. Karanjia, W. Howard and E. Zimmer) met and surprisingly defeated a Police rink, made up of W. Glendinning, L. Glendinning, W. McHardy and F. Nolan; also by two shots. This match was played on the Hong Kong Football Club green. Nolan, who played an excellent game, unfortunately did not get the same support from his men as did Zimmer from his. C. W. Lam, who is practically a novice at bowls and who turns out for the Craigengower, third team, played very well indeed and more often than not had the better of the more experienced W. Glendinning.

**"NOVICES" DO WELL**  
The strong Portuguese rink of L. F. Xavier, C. E. Marques, F. V. V. Ribeiro and H. A. Alves were very nearly eliminated on the K.C.C. green in the first round of the tournament by a Third Division rink, composed of J. Eastman, Bones, V. Petherick and T. Ferguson of the Kowloon Football Club. Ferguson was ahead of Alves practically all the way. By dint of very hard work on the part of the Portuguese, they were able to draw level with their opponents on the 17th head in which they scored four shots. At the conclusion of the game they were only two shots ahead of their opponents.

**THRILLING FINISH**  
The match in the first round of the Open Pairs Championship on

the Civil Service green between A. J. Coelho and J. Pau of the C.C.C. and D. M. Khan and M. R. Abbas of the I.R.C. which was interrupted by rain and which was continued last Monday saw a thrilling finish. Though the Indian pair were down on the 12th head by six shots to 15, through sheer determination, they crept up on their opponents and on the 20th head were level at 19—all. However, they just failed to win as on the last head Pau put in one shot and won at 20-19. Though Khan was at times brilliant, Coelho was more consistent and it was mainly due to him that the Craigengower pair won.

**SATURDAY'S MATCHES**  
Of the matches in the First Division down for next Saturday, the most interesting should be the tie between Recreio and the I.R.C. at King's Park. Recreio should win as, apart from advantage of green, they are a better balanced side. Their away victory over the Police last week was very convincing and is regarded in some quarters as indicative of a return to the form they displayed last year when they captured the championship.

The following matches are to be played off next Saturday. I favour the teams underlined to win—

**FIRST DIVISION**  
Kowloon D.R.C. v. Craigengower. Civil Service v. Kowloon C.C. Police R.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C.

**SECOND DIVISION**  
Civil Service v. Tai Koo R.C. H.K.F.C. "B" v. Craigengower. Recreio v. H.K.F.C. "A." Kowloon B.G.C. v. Police R.C.

**THIRD DIVISION**  
Kowloon F.C. v. H.K. Football Club. H.K.R. Yacht Club v. Kowloon C.C. Kowloon T.R.C. v. Recreio. Craigengower v. H.K. Electric R.C.

## LEAGUE TENNIS

### C.C.C. And Chinese Win Easily

Two of the most fancied teams in the "B" Division of the Tennis League scored overwhelming victories yesterday—Chinese R.C. and the Craigengower C.C. who claimed 9-0 wins over Kowloon and the University respectively.

Both the winning teams played on their own courts the scores in the Craigengower-University match being—

G. Choa and J. W. Leonard (C.C.C.) beat S. Wong and Y. C. Lau 6-2  
beat H. P. Ong and T. S. Wong 6-1  
beat H. T. Tong and P. Yu 6-0

R. Choa and F. Zimmer (C.C.C.) beat Wong and Lau 7-5  
beat Ong and Wong 7-5  
beat Tong and Yu 6-3

A. Mitchell and G. Lai (C.C.C.) beat Wong and Lau 7-5  
beat Ong and Wong 7-5  
beat Tong and Yu 6-2

**C.S.C.C. BEATEN**  
Playing at home Civil Service Cricket Club lost to Hong Kong Cricket Club by 31 sets to 51.

**SCORES:**  
J. Pengelly and I. Agafuroff (C.S.C.C.) beat J. J. Ferguson and E. E. Storey 6-4  
beat A. C. I. Bowker and L. M. S. Lloyd 6-2  
drew with T. C. Monaghan and W. M. Barton 6-6

J. Bendall and B. Asafuroff (C.S.C.C.) lost to Ferguson and Storey 4-6  
lost to Bowker and Lloyd 3-6  
beat Monaghan and Barton 6-3  
C. Sloan and C. Carver (C.S.C.C.) lost to Ferguson and Storey 2-6  
lost to Bowker and Lloyd 2-6  
lost to Monaghan and Barton 4-6

**EASY WIN FOR CHINESE**  
On their own courts the Chinese Recreation Club beat Kowloon Cricket Club by nine sets to nil.

**SCORES:**  
N. W. Lee and F. H. Kwok (C.R.C.) beat H. Miller and F. Grose 6-1  
beat G. E. Clark and E. Blair 6-2  
beat R. Lee and H. I. Januszowski 6-3

S. W. Liang and D. S. Sz (C.R.C.) beat Miller and Grose 6-2  
beat Clark and Blair 6-3  
beat Lee and Januszowski 6-1

P. F. Choy and T. C. Chai (C.R.C.) beat Miller and Grose 6-3  
beat Clark and Blair 6-1  
beat Lee and Januszowski 6-2  
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## TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were clocked during the morning gallops at the Race Course yesterday—

	Dis- tance	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Last
	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.
Havoc Eve	1	32.4	1.05	1.35.2		30.2
Roofly	1	32.2	1.02.4	1.31.1		28.2
Lancashire Chips	1	35.2	1.05.1	1.33.2	2.01.4	28.2
Brutus	1	35.4	1.05.4	1.36.4	2.04.3	27.4
Scenic View & Half-Moon Eve	1	38.1	1.12.1	1.43.3	2.13.4	30.1
Boat Bay & Tampa Bay	1	33.1	1.05.3	1.36.4		31.1
National Defence & Bistre	1	32.2	1.04.3	1.35.4		31.1
Electra	1	38.1	1.09	1.35.2		28.2
Lancashire Chap	1	44.3	1.20.1	1.52		31.4
Just In Time	1	31.1	1.03.2	1.35		31.3
Honeymoon Eve	1	34.3	1.03.4	1.39	2.10.3	31.3
Sunlight View	1	41.1	1.20	1.53.1	2.23.2	30.1
King's Warden	1	37.2	1.11.2	1.42.4	2.11.4	29
King's Privilege	1	47.4	1.33	2.13.1	2.48.3	33.2
Jobber	1	35	1.08.2	1.36.2		28
Desert Chief	1	40	1.14.2	1.46.2	2.19	32.3
National Dignity	1	37.4	1.12.3	1.44.1		31.3
Tempest & Bexiana	1	36.2	1.14	1.49.2	2.20.4	31.2
New Star	1	37.4	1.12.3	1.46	2.15	29
Humdrum Eve	1	30.2	1.00	1.31.1		31.1
Snowy River	1	37	1.08.4	1.39.3	2.07.2	27.4
Blandford	1	33.2	1.03	1.30.1		27.1
Emergency Call	1	44	1.23	2.01	2.34	33
Astrik	1	32.1	1.05	1.39.2		34.2
Rose-Queen	1	35.4	1.11.3	1.47.1	2.19.2	32.1
Soldier of China	1	35.4	1.10	1.43	2.13.3	30.3
Racing Boy	1	41	1.20	1.58.4	2.32.3	33.4
The Buffer	1	42	1.20	1.53.2	2.25.4	32.2
Perfect Day	1	33.2	1.03.4	1.32.2	2.00	27.3
Dekko	1	37	1.10	1.39.2		29.2
Pet Hein & Good Morning	1	33	1.07.3	1.40.3	2.12.2	31.4
Red Feather	1	36.2	1.12.3	1.46.2	2.17.4	31.2
Cuban Love & Split Hand	1	35	1.12.4	1.46.3	2.19.4	33.1
Captain Blood	1	38	1.15	1.50	2.23.3	33.3
Final Triumph	1	36.3	1.13.3	1.48.2	2.20.2	32
Cameronian	1	35	1.08.2	1.41.1	2.11.2	30.1
Colorado Star & Tornado Star	1	32.3	1.02.1	1.30.4	2.59.3	28.4
Lily	1	36.2	1.07	1.35.4	2.06.3	30.4
Tribe	1	40.2	1.22.1	1.57.1		35
Criffel	1	29.1	57.4	1.27.3	1.55.2	27.4
Gladiator	1	33.2	1.04.4	1.34.3		29.4
Cleese & Easy Time	1	34	1.08	1.40.4		32.4
Commencement Bay	1	36.2	1.12	1.44.1	2.14	29.4
Tabby Cat	1	34.4	1.09.4	1.44.2	2.16.3	32.1
Violet Queen & Cape York	1	31	59.4	1.30.1	1.59	28.4
Yum Sing	1	32.1	1.03.2	1.38.2		33
Rob Roy	1	32.1	1.09.4	1.44.4	2.15.3	30.4
Twilight Star	1	35.2	1.10	1.41	2.11	30
Royal Highness & Atomic Star	1	47	1.31.3	2.08	2.40.3	32.3
Katinka & Boris	1	36	1.08	1.37	2.08	29
Sahara Star	1	37.2	1.17.4	1.52.4	2.25.4	33
Smiling Thru	1	35.3	1.15.1	1.51.2	2.14.4	30.2
Salvage Master & Sea Dragon	1	35.3	1.10	1.43	2.14.3	31.3
Stymie	1	38	1.12.2	1.47	2.21.2	34.2
Lucky Seven & Be Yourself	1	37.3	1.13.4	1.47	2.20.1	33.1
Gordito	1	38	1.14.1	1.47	2.20.2	33.2
Gold Sovereign	1	36.4	1.14	1.49.4	2.21.3	33.2
Lucky Eleven & Charybdis	1	35	1.10.2	1.44.2	2.17.2	33
Sydney Bridge	1	34.1	1.06.4	1.37.3	2.07.2	29.4

## U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

New York, May 31.  
Only one match was played in the Baseball League today, the New York Yankees beating Boston Red Sox by 12 runs to five in the American section. The Yankees registered 16 hits against Boston's five, and had only one error against Boston's four.  
Jimmy Foxx hit a home run for the Red Sox, and Henrich, Dickey and Rolfe did likewise for the Yankees.—(Reuter).

## "GUBBY" ALLEN INJURED



London, June 1.—G. O. ("Gubby") Allen, the Middlesex captain, is not playing in today's Test tri'. He is confined to bed with a strained back.

D. R. Wilcox (Essex) is captaining the "Best" while W. R. Hammond is leading the England XI.  
It is understood that Allen will not now run for the captaincy in the Tests and that he is likely to miss the first two Tests. He may not even play in Test cricket again.—(Reuter).

## DAVIS CUP

### Yugoslavia Enters Semi-Final

Zagreb, June 1.  
In the quarter-final of the European zone of the Davis Cup, Yugoslavia defeated Sweden by three matches to one.  
France, Germany and Belgium have already entered the semi-finals.—(Reuter).

## Sporting Fixtures

**TODAY**  
BRIDGE.—Cheero Club Bridge, 8 p.m.  
MEETING.—Victoria Chess Club at Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m.  
TENNIS.—"C" Division: Recreio v. Army T.C., Craigengower C.C. v. South China A.A., University v. Kowloon Tong, Indian R.C. v. Kowloon C.C.

**TOMORROW**  
TENNIS.—"D" Division: Army T.C. v. South China A.A., Central British Assn. v. Radio Sports Club, Chinese R.C. v. Police R.C., Recreio v. Kowloon Tong, Craigengower C.C. v. Kowloon Indian C.C., Civil Service v. Kowloon C.C.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 4**  
RACING.—Hong Kong Jockey Club Sixth Extra Race Meeting, at Happy Valley, 2 p.m.

**MONDAY, JUNE 6**  
RACING.—Hong Kong Jockey Club Sixth Extra Race Meeting, at Happy Valley, 12.30 p.m.

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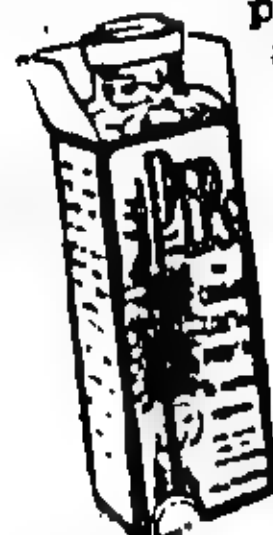
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## MME. CHIANG KAI-SHEK ADDRESSES CONFERENCE OF WOMEN LEADERS

### Definite Programme To Be Formulated

### FOR CO-ORDINATING WOMEN'S EFFORTS FOR THE COUNTRY

Madame Chiang Kai-shek brought together recently in Hankow 50 prominent leaders in women's work throughout China for a five-day conference concerning the life and work of women during the war. Dr. Wu I-fang, president of Ginling College, the celebrated American educational institution in Nanking, was vice-chairman of the meeting.

From the conference was expected a definite programme for the strengthening of the women's part in the resistance against the invaders, and the improvement of women's life generally in China.

Madame Chiang's opening address was as follows:

"Since the whole nation is at war, since hundreds of thousands of our countrymen are fighting on the battlefields; since there are millions of refugees from the war-zones crowding into the rear, and since there is enough work to occupy all of us day and night, you must wonder why I have invited you here.

When, by rights, we should be continuing with our various duties in our different localities. "I want to thank you for coming. All of you have left your work just to answer my invitation. This clearly shows that you are interested in our single purpose to work for the country without gain to yourself either in name or position. I assure you, however, that I have invited you here not merely for the pleasure of seeing you but because I feel that our meeting together will help solve questions and problems which are fundamental to the welfare of China.

"You, who are gathered here today, have been invited to attend because each one of you has a definite contribution to make to the ultimate goal which I have in mind. We are, all the so-called intellectual leaders of Chinese womanhood. We are all busy women, actively engaged in doing work to help our country win the war.

Upon us, therefore, devolves a great responsibility—the responsibility of leading our fellow women in every section of the society.

OBJECT OF THE GATHERING

"Before I speak to you of the exact purpose for which I have invited you here, I want to tell you what the outside world thinks of China today. I have seen many foreigners, most of them being representatives of various governments, or men of affairs, or newspaper correspondents. Without exception all of them have professed great admiration not only for the courage of our troops but also because China seems to have achieved national unity at last.

"It is equally true, however, that most of them have asked me this question: 'After the war will China still continue to be unified, or will there be dissension internally? And if there is dissension, what will be the probable effect on the future of our country?' My answer to that is: 'Yes, there is unity in our country now, and if the sufferings and hardships we have undergone because of this undeclared war have not taught us the necessity and the importance of co-operation, then China deserves to be doomed.'

"The greatest need of the country, to my mind, is unity and co-operation of all parties and sections of society. Whatever prejudices we may have I beg that we sweep them aside for the good of our country. My first reason for calling this conference was to bring the leading women together—for most of us know each other only by name or by reputation—so that we could meet each other personally.

"Misunderstandings mostly arise when people who have to work together do not know each other. Personal acquaintanceship conduces to effective co-operation. It goes without saying that if we women can show that we can co-operate with the men, then all will surely be stimulated to pull together whenever they can do so in national interests.

### WOMEN'S WORK

"My second reason for asking you to come here is because so much work is being done in the various provinces for women, and by women, although still not enough in proportion to national needs. It is consequently necessary to devise a national programme for all women of China in order that we may correlate the various lines of work which we are doing. For example, in Kiangsi, Hunan, Szechwan, Kwangsi, Chekiang, etc., we often hear that the women are doing such-and-such a piece of work, but we do not have definite ideas about it.

"We are all so-called educated women; at the same time each one of us, is an individual, each with talents, training, convictions, and interests peculiar to ourselves. It would be folly therefore to expect all of us to be as alike as peas, yet we are all members of one body, like hands, arms, legs and feet; and to obtain the greatest usefulness for that body, there must be correlation of different types of work.

### VARIOUS PROBLEMS

"So that we may learn from each other the various conditions and problems involved, and the methods used in that work, it is of immense help for us to have first-hand reports from the people who are actually carrying on the work. Also, there is inspiration to be gained from the knowledge of what others are doing.

"You are doubtless wondering whether the results of this conference will be purely academic or whether we are really going to translate decisions into action. The trouble with most of us has been—and this is, perhaps, specially true of women—that we talk and argue too much and then do too little, or nothing at all, to achieve tangible results.

### A SERIOUS PURPOSE

"We are here for a serious purpose. Upon the findings which we hope to arrive at from our various reports, I hope that, we will be able to build a plan to train workers for the tasks I have in mind. I further hope that we will be able to avoid pitfalls which past experience has shown militate seriously against sustained and effective effort.

"What is this work I have in mind? All of you have received the agenda of the meeting. You will note that the topics are:

1. How women can serve during the war.
2. How to mobilize women.
3. How we may encourage productive enterprises by women.
4. How we may improve the life of women.
5. How best to co-relate the work of various women's organizations.

"You will note that these topics all affect women in times of peace as much as during times of war. If, however, there are other topics which you would like to bring forward I am sure the secretariat will be very pleased to have your suggestions for inclusion on the agenda. We have purposely left the evenings free for informal discussions on whatever subjects you desire to bring up, such subjects to be discussed either by all of us together, or in small round-table groups. You see, therefore, the emphasis is not only upon service during war time, but service when peace becomes a reality.

### TO TRAIN WORKERS

"In a word, the purpose of this meeting is to formulate a tentative programme to train workers for the whole country. Everyone with whom I have talked has agreed that we must have more trained workers. But there has been some question as to how, and under what auspices, this work is to be carried on in order to ensure lasting success. After much thought I have come to the conclusion that we should use an organization which is already at work, which has a national significance, and which can reach the people of all classes and sections of society. I refer to the New Life Movement.

"1. Recently some friends became interested in caring for refugee children from

the war areas, and spent nearly two months trying to gain public support for a Children's Relief Committee. From the moment the New Life Movement became interested in the refugee children the confidence of the people was established.

"2. We must remember that the New Life Movement is permanent and not temporary. Confidence in the movement has already been established both at home and abroad.

"3. The growth of this Movement has been natural as it is both comprehensive and flexible. The Movement is in the enviable position of being able successfully to carry through social and economic measures for the benefit of all classes.

"The purpose of the New Life Movement is to help the people, to train them to take their rightful places in society, and to enable them to become useful citizens in a modern democracy.

### NO POLITICAL STRINGS

"There are no political purposes attached to the New Life Movement. It is not interested in any way in factional or party manoeuvring, nor should it be. I am sure all of us recognize that during this period of our life and death struggle for the survival of our nation, our highest duty is to serve only the nation, and disregard personal ambitions and loyalties to lesser causes. This can be accomplished only through unselfish devotion and sacrifice of all of us as individuals.

"The New Life Movement was designed to help the people, and it is only interested in promoting and safeguarding the interests of the people; in working for the people, and, in general, in improving the lot and the life of our fellow countrymen. That is really a

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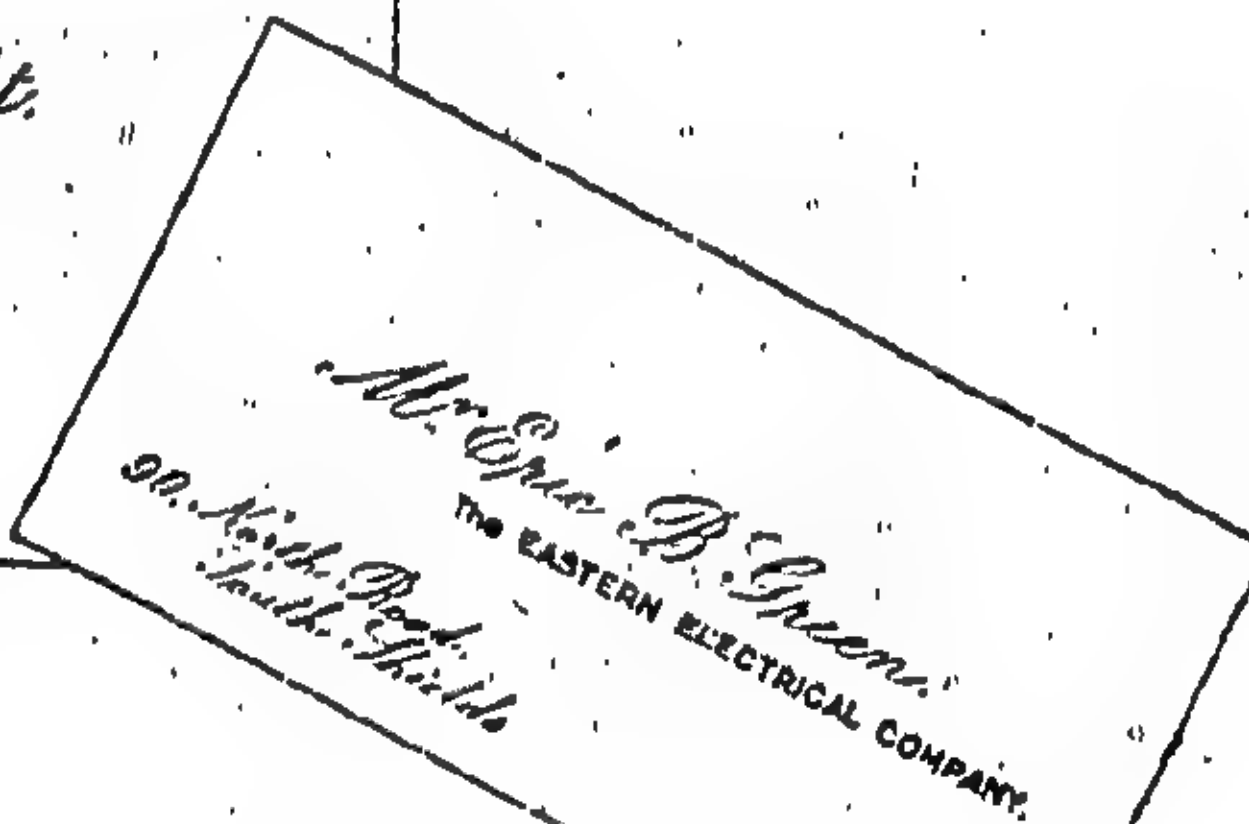
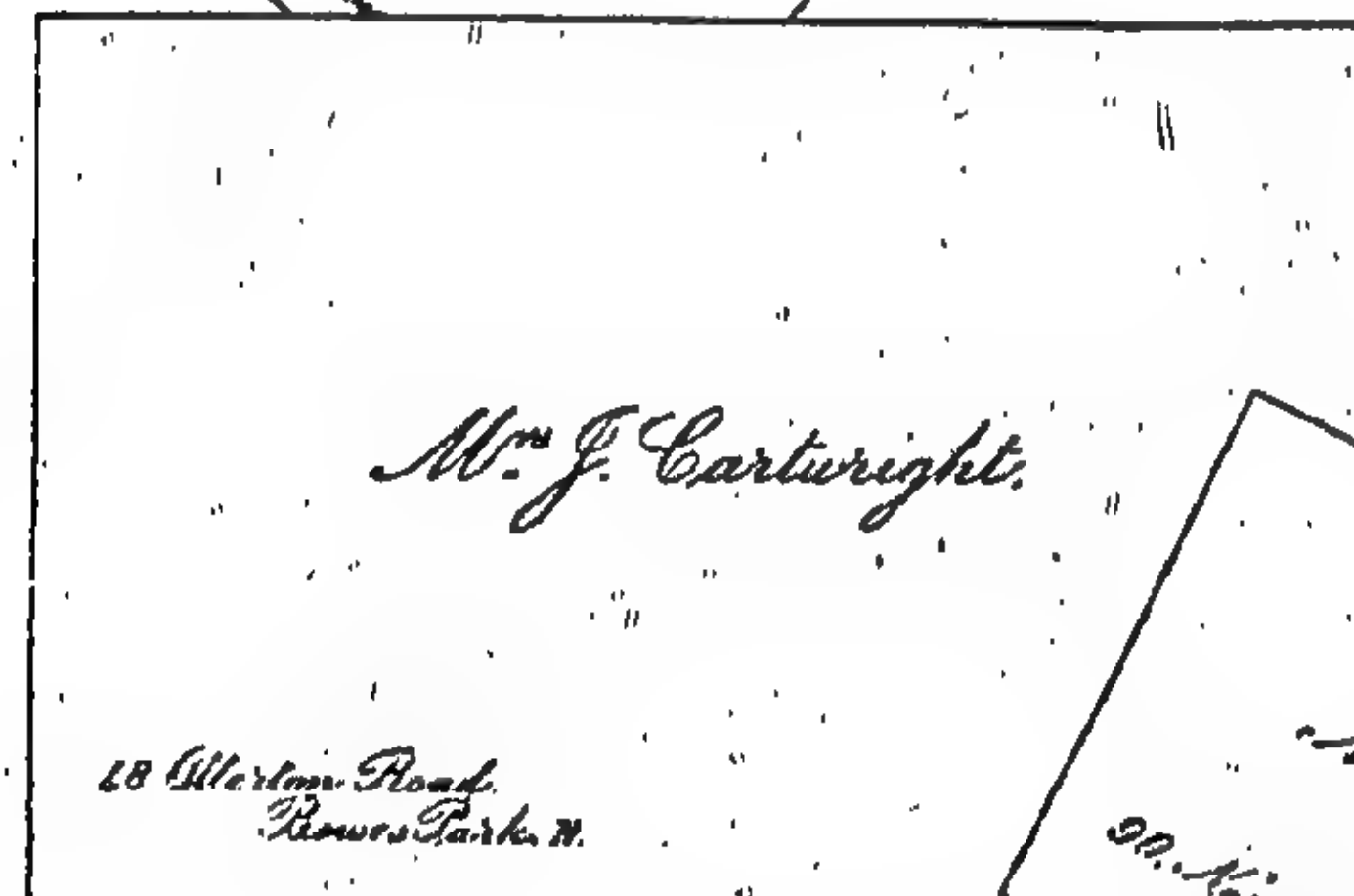
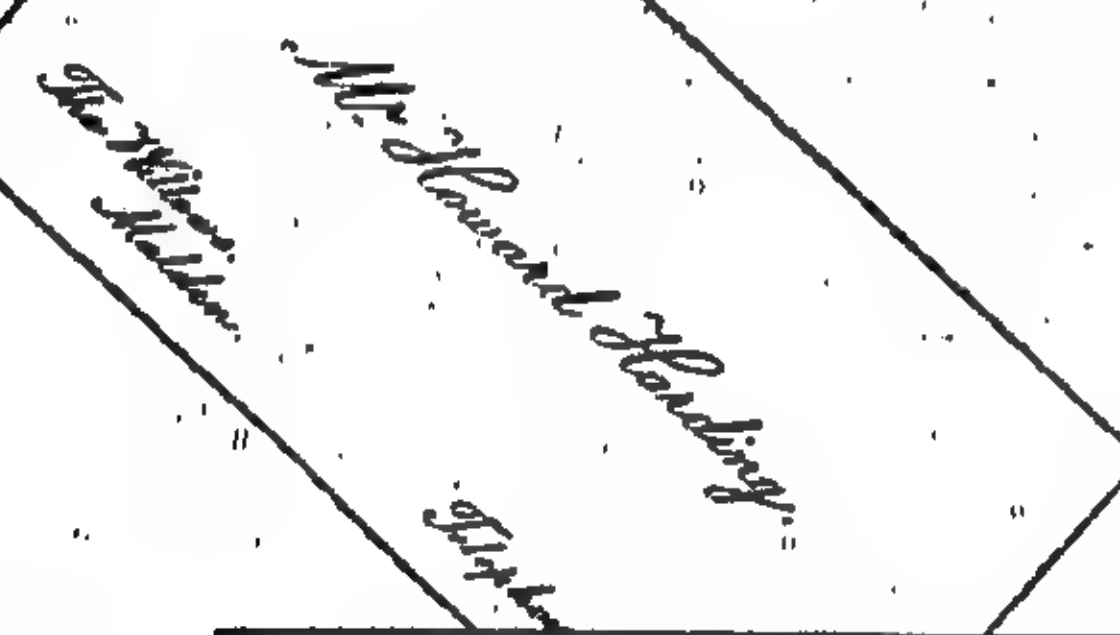
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## ENGLISH STEAK LAST WISH OF CONDEMNED MAN

A breakfast of "English beef-steak," which he ate ravenously, was the last wish of Francisco Teller Jimenez, condemned to death for robbing and murdering his employer, a Valparaiso baker, in Santiago, de Chile.

His execution, which took place in the Santiago penitentiary, was the fifth during the present rule of President Arturo Alessandri.

The President, a Liberal, is determined to stamp out homicide, of which there had been an alarming increase before his election. He is also revising the penal code to eliminate "unwritten law" excuses for crime.

In accordance with Chilean law, Jimenez died at the hands of a firing squad of eight, who are ordered to shoot at the heart of the condemned, sitting blindfolded in a chair.

Afterwards, when the prison doctor examined the body he found that the eight bullets had pierced the heart. . . . Death was instantaneous.

## THE PROPOSED COTTON BILL

Coats's Chairman's Criticism

Strong criticism of the proposed Cotton Industry Enabling Bill was made by Mr. J. O. M. Clark, chairman of Messrs J. and P. Coats, Limited, at the annual meeting recently.

"The proposals, if they become law," he said, "will apply, not merely to manufacturers who are primarily cotton spinners, but to all industries which use cotton in any way, including motor tyre manufacturers, linoleum makers, and our own company, which uses cotton and yarn as its raw materials."

"The proposals would not help our company in any way. We are well organized and 80 per cent. of the total production of our mills in this country is exported, apart from what we manufacture abroad. Many of the proposals would affect us adversely."

"The present proposals would place the whole industry under the control of a small committee set up in Lancashire, which would have power under certain conditions to regulate production, fix prices and discounts, impose quotas and make levies."

## OVERSEA TRADE

Exporting no less than 80 per cent. of its output as well as owning mills in many overseas countries, J. and P. Coats, Limited, has felt severely during recent years the progressive tightening of the shackles upon international trade.

Mr. Clark recalled at the meeting that the mills at Barcelona, for instance, remain at a standstill.

Business in China and Japan has suffered a setback owing to the war, and in the United States there is a widespread lack of confidence.

Against this is to be set, the hope that regulations which now prevent the company selling its goods in the State of Erie will be rescinded as a result of the Anglo-Irish agreement.

Poor business during the first quarter of the year Mr. Clark attributes to the excessive optimism which last spring induced many customers to buy much more than their immediate requirements.

But in view of the probability that expenditure on armaments will ensure activity in the heavy industries for some time to come he does not foresee any further recession of importance during the next year or two.

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12.42 p.m. Debroy Somers Band.  
Fantasy—Selection; The Gay Minstrels—Waltz Medley.

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Tino Rossi (Tenor) and Continental Orchestras.

Gipsy Love—Overture (Franz Lehár); Vivat Hungaria (E. Kalman); Edith Lorand and Her Viennese Orchestra; C'est A Capri—Tango Chante; Le Cheland Qui Passe—Valse Chante—M. Tino Rossi; A Frangese! (Celebre Chanson); Napolitaine—Serenade (Sous le Palmier—Serenade).

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Trans. III G.S.H., G.S.G., G.S.B.).

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### 9.50 p.m. Latest Dance Music

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## WEATHER REPORT

HONG KONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., June 1.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.85

Temperature, 83 F.

Humidity, 80 per cent.

Wind direction, East/North.

Wind force (Beaufort), 2.

Temperature; maximum yesterday, 89 F.

Temperature; minimum last night, 77 F.

Rainfall for 24 hours ending 10th today, 0.00 ins.

Total rainfall since January 1, 21.34 ins.

Against an average of, 22.90 ins.

Sunset tonight, 7.03 p.m.

Sunrise tomorrow, 5.39 a.m.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.78

Temperature, 87 F.

Humidity, 65 per cent.

## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From June 2 to 8, 1938

HIGH WATER LOW WATER

Day of Week Date of Month

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### NORTHWARD

### FROM HONG KONG TO COAST

### PORTS AND JAPAN

#### Chefoo.

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Gustav Diederichsen, Jensen's, June 6.

Chang On, J.M. &amp; Co., June 7.

Yochow, B. &amp; S., June 8.

Hupoh, B. &amp; S., June 14.

#### Dairen.

Lion, B. &amp; S., June 5.

Kulmerland, Jensen's, June 6.

Aller, Melchers', June 10.

Nordmark, Jensen's, June 14.

Urada Rickmers, Jensen's, June 18.

Helena, B. &amp; S., June 19.

#### Foochow.

Gustav Diederichsen, Jensen's, June 1.

Yochow, B. &amp; S., June 8.

Hupoh, B. &amp; S., June 14.

#### JAPAN

Nankin, E. &amp; A. S.S. Co., June 5.

Lion, B. &amp; S., June 6.

Pres. Polk, Dollar's, June 6.

Kulmerland, Jensen's, June 6.

Tai Yang, Thorson's, June 8.

Mar. Joffre, Messageries', June 8.

Ranchi, P. &amp; O., June 9.

Tilawa, B.I. (Apar), June 9.

Somali, P. &amp; O., June 9.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 10.

Scharnhorst, Melchers', June 10.

Aller, Melchers', June 10.

Achilla, B. &amp; S., June 11.

Myrmidon, B. &amp; S., June 11.

Kumang, J.M. &amp; Co., June 12.

Nordmark, Jensen's, June 15.

Kisano Maru, N.Y.K., June 17.

Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., June 18.

Toulouze, Dodwell's, June 18.

Urada Rickmers, Jensen's, June 18.

Kutsum, J.M. &amp; Co., June 18.

Helena, B. &amp; S., June 19.

Cobury, Melchers', June 21.

Athos II, Messageries', June 22.

Naldera, P. &amp; O., June 23.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., June 24.

Africa, East Asiatic &amp; Co., June 25.

#### Kieling.

Hong Kong Maru, June 13.

#### Shanghai.

Nankin, E. &amp; A. S.S. Co., June 5.

Fausang, J.M. &amp; Co., June 5.

Kulmerland, Jensen's, June 6.

Suiyang, B. &amp; S., June 6.

Kinyuan, B. &amp; S., June 7.

Yochow, J.M. &amp; Co., June 7.

Mar. Joffre, Messageries', June 8.

Taiyang, B. &amp; S., June 8.

Tai Yang, Thorson's, June 8.

Tjisadane, J.C.J. Line, June 9/9.

Ajax, B. &amp; S., June 9.

Somali, P. &amp; O., June 9.

Ranchi, P. &amp; O., June 9.

Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, June 10.

Scharnhorst, Melchers', June 10.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 10.

Shantung, B. &amp; S., June 14.

Nordmark, Jensen's, June 15.

Urada Rickmers, Jensen's, June 18.

Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., June 18.

Toulouze, Dodwell's, June 18.

Helena, B. &amp; S., June 19.

Athos II, Messageries', June 22.

Naldera, P. &amp; O., June 23.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., June 24.

Africa, East Asiatic &amp; Co., June 25.

Shantung, B. &amp; S., June 31.

#### Swatow.

Cremor, J.C.J. Line, June 4.

Fausang, J.M. &amp; Co., June 5.

Kinyuan, B. &amp; S., June 7.

Chang On, J.M. &amp; Co., June 7.

Helios, Thorson's, June 8.

Yochow, B. &amp; S., June 8.

Hupoh, B. &amp; S., June 14.

Hellas, Thorson's, June 29.

#### Takao.

Hong Kong Maru, June 13.

#### Taku.

Kulmerland, Jensen's, June 6.

Aller, Melchers', June 10.

Nordmark, Jensen's, June 14.

Hector, B. &amp; S., June 17.

Helena, B. &amp; S., June 19.

#### Tientsin.

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Vancouver, B.C.

Lion, B. &amp; S., June 6.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 10.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., June 24.

Victoria, B.C.

Lion, B. &amp; S., June 6.

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 Yasukuni Maru, Japanese, from Japan via Shanghai, at buoy No. A4, noon.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).  
 Hakoziaki Maru, Japanese, from London via Singapore, at buoy No. A7, 6 p.m.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).  
 Chile, Danish, from Europe via Singapore, at buoy No. A8, a.m.—East Asiatic & Co. (Tel. 34111).

## DUE TOMORROW

Hin Sang, British, 1,885 reg. tons, Capt. A. D. Kelman, from Sandakan, at buoy No. B22, p.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).  
 Tai Po Sek, French, 1,219 reg. tons, Capt. J. Bonhermour, from K. C. Wan, at West Point buoy, p.m.—Tai Fung and Co. (Tel. 20693).  
 Patroclus, British, 6,910 registered tons, Capt. W. McIure, from Shanghai and Dairen, at buoy No. A7, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).  
 Hal Hing, Norwegian, 1,445 reg. tons, Capt. E. Hannevig, from Singapore and Hoihow, at West Point buoy, a.m.—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).

## SAILED YESTERDAY

Assuan for Keelung, Start Point for Batu Pahat, Kaying for Canton, Sinking for Haiphong, Zuiho Maru for Kobe, President McKinley for Manila, Shantung for Shanghai, Kronviken for Swatow, Hong Peng for Swatow, Anna Maersk for Manila.

## PRESIDENT PIERCE PASSENGERS

The following passengers will be arrived on the s.s. President Pierce, which sailed from San Francisco on May 10, and is due here on or about June 4—  
 Mr. and Mrs. L. Miss E. Bowers, Miss B. Chann, Mr. C. F. Harris, Mr. T. C. Liu.

## ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Procas, British, 4,277 registered tons, Captain J. McKenzie, from Kobe, at Kowloon Dock—A. P. C. (Tel. 28041).  
 Agapenor, British, from Europe and Singapore, at Holt's Wharf, —B. & S. (Tel. 30331).  
 Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 reg. tons, Capt. I. d. de Lemos, from K. C. Wan, at West Point buoy, —Tai Fung and Co. (Tel. 20693).  
 Helikon, British, 1,220 registered tons, Captain W. Anderson, from Saigon, at buoy No. B4—Wo Fa. Shing (Tel. 20005).  
 Yuan Sang, British, 1,983 reg. tons, Captain E. J. Laurence, from Calcutta, Singapore and Saigon, at buoy No. A5—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).  
 Magdala, Dutch, 4,784 registered tons, Captain J. C. Anker, from Tarakan, at North Point—A. P. C. (Tel. 28041).  
 Ardent, Norwegian, 1,104 reg. tons, Captain H. Sitter, from Bangkok, at buoy No. C1—Chin Seng Hong (Tel. 25291).  
 Kastor, Greek, 3,425 reg. tons, Captain Greece, from Mauritius at buoy No. A12—Bank Line (Tel. 27911).  
 Hong Kong Maru, Japanese, 1,559 reg. tons, Capt. H. Salto, from Takao, at buoy No. B23—O. S. K. (Tel. 28061).  
 Ankling, British, 2,047 reg. tons, Captain E. Johnson, from Manila at buoy No. B15—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

## SAILING TODAY

Hong Kong Maru, Japanese, 1,559 reg. tons, Capt. H. Salto, from Takao, at buoy No. B23, noon—O. S. K. (Tel. 28061).  
 Empress of Asia, British, 8,889 reg. tons, Capt. G. Good, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila, 5 p.m.—C. P. S. (Tel. 20752).  
 Tamara, Swedish, 3,834 registered tons, Capt. Borgnerud, from Japan, at buoy No. A1, for Manila and Europe, p.m.—Gliman & Co. (Tel. 30966).

## CHINA SQUADRON DISPOSITION

The following is the disposition of H.M. Ships in North China:  
 Shanghai: Lowestoft.  
 Weihaiwei: Birmingham.  
 Swatow: Diana.  
 Chinwangtao: Decoy.

## WARSHIPS IN HARBOUR

The following are the berthings of warships in port:  
 North Arm: Enterprise, Duncan.  
 North Wall: Proteus.  
 South Wall: Sandwich, Robin.  
 East Wall: Grimsby.  
 West Wall: Delight.  
 Dock: Rover, Regulus, Regent.  
 Oil Fuel Jetty: Duchess.  
 No. 1 Buoy: Eagle.  
 No. 5 Buoy: Suffolk.

## SAILING TOMORROW

Hal Hing, Norwegian, 1,445 reg. tons, Capt. E. Hannevig, from West Point buoy, for Swatow, p.m.—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).  
 Kweiyang, British, 1,580 reg. tons, Capt. D. Williams, from buoy No. B7, for Swatow and Bangkok, 4 p.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).  
 Gremer, Dutch, 2,785 registered tons, Captain H. G. Ahlers, from buoy No. A9, for Swatow, a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).  
 Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 reg. tons, Capt. I. d. de Lemos, from West Point Wharf, for K. C. Wan, p.m.—Tai Fung and Co. (Tel. 20693).  
 Tarda, British, 4,484 registered tons, Captain E. T. Picher, from Kowloon Wharf, for Manila, Rsbau, Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane, 10.30 a.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).  
 Nanning, British, 1,488 reg. tons, Captain E. W. Richards, from buoy No. B16, for Haiphong noon.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).  
 Mulnam, Danish, 1,739 registered tons, Captain V. L. Relster, from buoy No. B14, for Hoihow and Singapore, 1 p.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).  
 Kaying, British, 1,572 registered tons, Captain E. H. Histed, from West Point buoy, for Swatow and Shanghai, 4 p.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).  
 Yasukuni Maru, Japanese, from buoy No. A4, for Singapore, London, Marseilles, Antwerp and Rotterdam, p.m.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).  
 Hakoziaki Maru, Japanese, from buoy No. A7, for Keelung, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama, p.m.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).  
 Kiangchow, British, 1,546 reg. tons, Captain J. H. Hodgkiss, from buoy No. B20, for Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong, 2 p.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).  
 Chile, Danish, from buoy No. A8, for Shanghai and Japan, p.m.—East Asiatic & Co. (Tel. 34111).

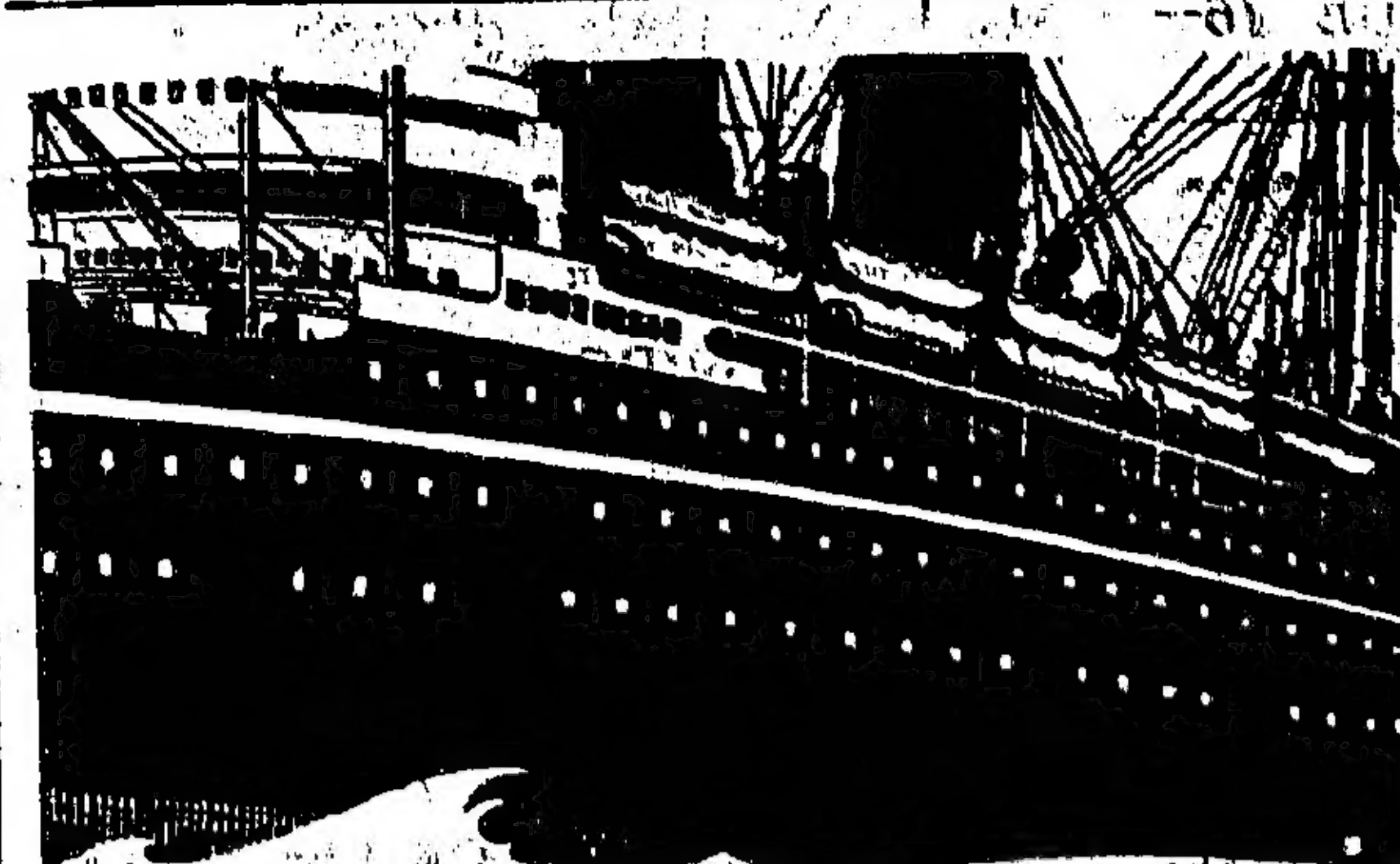
## IN RADIO TOUCH

The following is the list of ships expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong Radio:  
 Hakoziaki Maru, Empress of Japan, Gelsenau, Kum Sang, Yasukuni Maru, Tjinegara and Yapan.

No. 6 Buoy: Dorsetshire.  
 No. 12 Buoy: Darling, Diamond.

## FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR

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*CARTHAGE	14,000	11th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*BURDWAN	8,000	18th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*LA PUTANA	17,000	25th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*RANCHI	17,000	9th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*SOMALI	6,000	16th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*RANPURA	17,000	23rd July	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*RAWALPINDI	17,000	6th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*BANGALORE	6,000	13th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*NALDERA	17,000	20th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London
*CORPU	18,000	27th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London

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TANDA	7,000	3rd June 10.30 a.m.	Manila, Rabaal, Brisbane
NANKIN	7,000	2nd July	Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
NELLORE	7,000	5th Aug.	

## SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI &amp; JAPAN

Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (About)	Destination
NANKIN	7,000	5th June a.m.	Shanghai & Japan
*SOMALI	8,000	9th June	Shanghai & Japan
TILAWA	10,000	9th June	Shanghai & Japan
RANCHI	17,000	9th June	Shanghai & Japan
NALDERA	17,000	23rd June	Shanghai & Japan
SANTHIA	9,000	16th July	Shanghai & Japan
NELLORE	7,000	7th July	Shanghai & Japan
RANPURA	17,000	7th July	Shanghai & Japan
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